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ALL BRITAIN AROUSED BY THE GERMAN RAIDS.

TRAIN FERRY IS COLOSSAL.

Largest of its Kind in World Starts Today at Port Costa.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—The Contra Costa, the largest train ferry in the world, will be placed in operation for the Southern Pacific Company on Carquinez Straits, between Port Costa and Benicia, tomorrow, according to announcement made here today. The first train ferried on the Contra Costa will be in charge of Conductor Hamilton Glass, whose passenger train was the first to be carried across the straits on the steamer Solano in 1879. The Contra Costa is 423 feet long and 116 feet wide, and will accommodate two locomotives and thirty-six freight or twenty-four passenger cars.

GERMANY'S GOLD SHOWS INCREASE.

GAIN IS DUE TO GOVERNMENT EDICT AGAINST TRADING IN THE METAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BERNE (Switzerland) Dec. 16 (via Paris.)—The increase in the Imperial Bank of Germany's gold stock from 1,253,000,000 marks ($313,250,000) since the beginning of the war to 1,991,000,000 marks ($497,750,000,) shown in the last report of the bank, is explained in German newspapers as being due to repressive measures of the government against trading in gold as a commodity at a premium and by the continuous urging, especially among the peasants, to induce them in the national interest to give up their gold hoards in exchange for notes.

In this the clergy, German newspapers say, has been especially helpful. German officers and privates also are said to have given up their gold pocket money with which they started for the front.

WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

SUMMARIZED, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

Current Events of Yesterday: (1) Bombardment of the Yorkshire Coast by German Ships of War. (2) Ordered to the Panama Canal to Preserve Neutrality. (3) Desperate Fighting Between the Villa and Carranza Forces Near Torreon. (4) Conference of California Editors. (5) Congress.

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Real Estate: Deals are searching for homes. Many rooms lost in a fire. Suburban Realty Board and other civic bodies meet. Building and Saturday Night Club pleased for the season. Meeting of the National Federation of Women's Clubs to plan for the coming year, planned to be held here.
HORROR ATTACKS MAN: Crew Beats Sailor to Death on Steamer is Blamed Among Passengers.
FULLERTON: Former employee had an accident in a gang of holes at the Union Oil Company's plant. As attempted to rescue a woman in a crowd, said to have been overcome by fumes, to head off a man. Conductor Fullerton at 3:30 p.m. Fullerton in the passenger train on the Santa Fe. Conductor Fullerton at 3:30 p.m. Fullerton.
The trainer's wife was left behind when the train left Fullerton at 3:30 p.m. Fullerton. The distance was 2 miles and the train was moving when their wife began. The man was heard, the dispatcher heard, the dispatcher heard, who did get to the station. In the confusion the train broke away from the station and the conductor had to run after it. The man who did not get to the station was left behind.
CORONA: The Corona Board of Trustees at the meeting last night received documents from the various dispatches are each captioned in accordance with the subject matter they express the origin, character, nature and trend of the information (which holds itself responsible for the proper accuracy of the war news) aims to be impartial, and

Via Heligoland.

NAVAL BOMBARDMENT OF YORKSHIRE COAST.

Many Non-combatants are Killed and Wounded by German Shells.

Much Havoc Wrought in the Towns of Scarborough, Whitby and the Hartlepools—Patrol Boats Give Chase to the Invaders, but They Escape in the Fog—Healthy Boom in the Recruiting Business Expected.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The Morning Post has a special from Sunderland as follows: There is a suspicion that the enemy's warships must have had some useful information. They displayed British signals and were taken for friendly ships until their guns began to fire.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The Daily Chronicle says that accommodations are being prepared at Cromarty, Scotland, for fifty wounded sailors who are expected there during the night.

LONDON, Dec. 16, 10:15 p.m.—For the first time in more than a century England has been struck by a foreign foe. A squadron of swift German cruisers crept through the fog last night to the eastern coast and turned their guns against the Britons.

When day broke they began the bombardment of three important towns—Hartlepool, at the mouth of the Tees; Whitby, thirty-five miles southward, and Scarborough, noted as a pleasure resort, fifteen miles beyond.

Hartlepool suffered most. There two battle cruisers and an armored cruiser were engaged and at this place the greatest loss of life occurred. The British War Office fixes the number of dead at Hartlepool as seven soldiers and twenty-two civilians, and the wounded at fourteen soldiers and fifty civilians.

At Scarborough, where a battle cruiser and an armored cruiser shelled the town, thirteen casualties are reported, while at Whitby two were killed and two wounded.

Men, women and children of the civilian population were struck without warning while at breakfast or at work. In all the casualty list totals 110, according to the official estimates, of whom thirty-one are known to be dead.

Three churches were damaged; the gas works and lumber yards at Hartlepool were set afire and the abbey at Whitby was struck. The Balmoral Hotel at Scarborough received the full effects of a shell. A number of houses and shops were shattered and partly burned in each of the towns.

HOSTILE SHIPS ESCAPED.

The hostile squadron escaped in the mist after an encounter with coast guard vessels patrolling the neighborhood which were reinforced as soon as the presence of the Germans was signaled.

OFFICIAL ACCOUNT.

The official press bureau late tonight issued the following statement from the War Office regarding the German raid:

"At 8 a.m. today three of the enemy's ships were sighted off Hartlepool, and at 8:15 they commenced a bombardment. These ships appeared to be two battle cruisers and one armored cruiser. The land batteries replied and are reported to have hit and damaged the enemy.

"At 8:50 the firing ceased and the enemy steamed away. None of our guns were touched. One shell fell in the Royal Engineers' lines and several in the lines of the Eighteenth Service Battalion of the Durham Light Infantry.

"The casualties among the troops cially at West Hartlepool, the people crowded in the streets and approximately twenty-two were killed and fifty wounded.

"At the same time a battle cruiser and an armored cruiser appeared off Scarborough and fired about fifty shots, which caused considerable damage, and thirteen casualties are reported.

"At Whitby two battle cruisers fired shots doing damage to buildings and the following casualties are reported: Two killed, two wounded.

"At the three places there was an entire absence of panic and the demeanor of the people was everything that could be desired."

FROM THE PRESS BUREAU.

The following is the official press bureau's statement on the German attack on the English coast:

"This morning a German cruiser force made a demonstration upon the Yorkshire coast in the course of which they shelled Hartlepool, Whitby and Scarborough.

"A number of their fastest ships were employed for this purpose and they remained about an hour on the coast.

"They were engaged by patrol vessels on the spot. As soon as the presence of the enemy was reported a British patrolling squadron endeavored to cut them off. On being sighted by the British vessels the Germans retired at full speed and favored by the mist made their escape.

The losses on both sides are small, but full reports have not yet been received.

"The Admiralty takes the opportunity of pointing out that demonstrations of this character against unfortified towns or commercial ports, though not difficult to accomplish, provided a certain amount of risk is accepted, are devoid of military significance.

"They may cause some loss of life among the civil population and some damage to private property which is much to be regretted; but they must not in any circumstances be allowed to modify the general naval policy which is being pursued."

WAVE OF ANGER.

A wave of intense anger has spread over England because of the attack and bitter denunciation is heard everywhere of a policy which permits the shelling of undefended towns. The fortress at the mouth of the Tees is supposed to give some protection to the important shipping base of Hartlepool, but Whitby and Scarborough amounted to seven killed and fourteen wounded.

"Some damage was done to the town and the gas works were set on fire.

"During the bombardment, espe-

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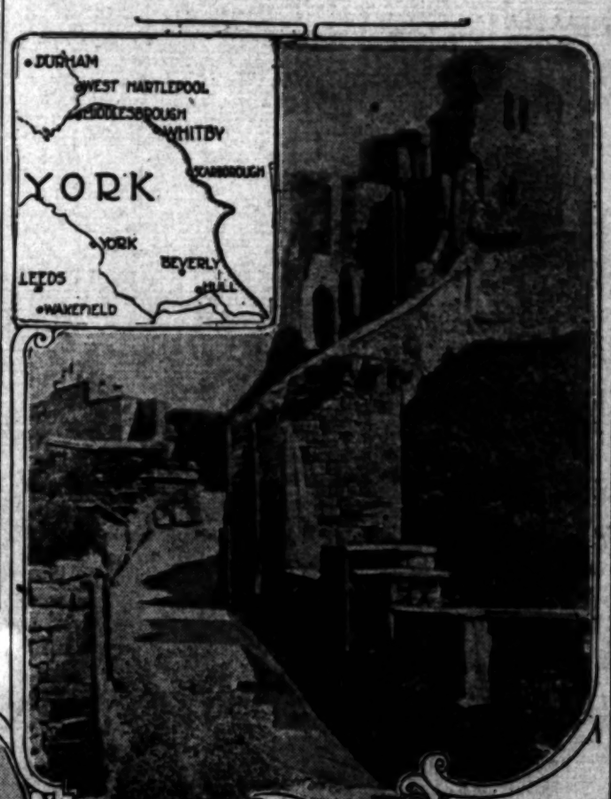
Targets for German Gunners.



The Abbey and Drive at Scarborough.

From photographs lent The Times by Mrs. Sarah B. Craw of No. 436 East Forty-third street, whose brother, Harry Baxter, of Hull, Eng., built the famous Marine drive at Scarborough.

Secrets.

PREDICTS END OF WAR AND DEATH OF KAISER.

[BY CABLE AND DIRECT-WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PARIS Dec. 16.—The end of the war within a year, the death of the Kaiser and revolution in Germany are some of the predictions made for 1915 by Madame Thebes, the French seeress who claims she foretold the assassination of Archduke Ferdinand of Austria and the European war.

Madame Thebes's forecast for 1915 also predicts that Italy will soon be drawn into the war and that England is on the brink of religious strife. For the United States she predicts a good industrial and agricultural year.

HER FORECAST.

Her forecast says in part:

Before the sun runs its third course in 1915 blood will cease to flow. The results of the war will be titanic. The result will be entirely different from what France expects, though for the others the equivalent will be realized.

Summer and autumn will be such as the history of Paris has never known. About this time a scourge menaces us, but prudence will probably win. Paris setting the example in the struggle.

Paris will lead a crusade to extend the race. Women will be less frivolous and will pay more attention to their homes.

A singular fate awaits a man originally from Central France. He will be caught in an extraordinary imbroglio at the moment of peace negotiations.

The Kaiser's role will soon be ended. He dies soon or else disappears. Germany will cease to exist in her present form. I see one Germany tearing itself to pieces—north against north, south against south. There will be revolutionary fury against the junker military aristocracy. Germany will try to resist, in parody of France of bygone days, even until her revolution—hostages, massacres, judgments and scaffolds—all. I see another Germany which pretends to yield, accepting the conditions of the victors and gaining time by multiplying intrigues and paralyzing the attacks against her, only to restart her own attacks with new forces.

In either event, the Hohenzollerns are gone. I have seen the hand of Wilhelm the second. I won't say how or when. I saw his right hand only. This is the hand of volition. His left hand is that of a fatalist—withered and smaller than the other, on an arm shorter than his right. This weakness Wilhelm has sought to conceal all his life. His right hand is dry if one feels it long. The phalanx, alas, is large indicating sanguinary tastes. The little finger is imaginative. Daylight shows between the fingers unless they are tightly pressed together. This is a sign of untruthfulness. The ensemble indicates a short rather than a long life.

If the Kaiser does not fall mentally, he will probably break down physically. The luck line is good, the ascensional reaching the wrist to the annulary, and there suddenly breaking off between crosses or stars, denoting the fortune of the renowned man is doomed suddenly to fall—as he is even now falling.

The two especially striking features of his hand are the broken luck line and the headline characteristic of destiny suddenly broken by insanity or suicide. This strange prince may disappear, to survive elsewhere, buried and hidden.

The hour soon will strike when Italy will be compelled to draw her sword. She will be forced so to do.

However, danger menaces feminine hate, which nothing disarms, pursues her. There will be bloodshed and tears. There will be great destruction of things—in artistic Southern Italy in particular—around the summer solstice.

For Franz Josef—de profundis. This sinister old man is even now dead to the world.

The dismemberment of Austria is imminent. The Slavs will separate from the Germanic element, the latter joining with Catholic Germany.

England has returned to the edge of an abyss of the most frightful

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Instruction.

FULL STEAM FOR COLON

Cruiser Tacoma Sent to the Canal.

Gunboat, or Destroyer, May be Ordered to West Coast on Patrol Service.

Daniels Wants Facts as to Reported Violations of Neutrality.

All Vessels to be Warned Against the Misuse of the Radio Apparatuses.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PANAMA, Dec. 16.—Col. George W. Goethals will depart for Washington tomorrow. He will leave Col. Hodges as Acting Governor of the Canal Zone during his absence. What the real object of his trip to Washington is cannot be ascertained, but it is pretty well established that he goes to complete his plans for keeping the Canal Zone and its waters neutral, by force if necessary.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Secretary Daniels tonight ordered the cruiser Tacoma, now in Santo Domingo, to proceed to Colon to guard against violations of the neutrality of the Panama Canal.

A destroyer or gunboat may be sent from the patrol on the west coast of Mexico to the Pacific entrance of the canal when fuller information as to conditions at the waterway is received.

The following statement was issued at the Navy Department:

"Secretary Daniels stated that the last news received from Colon was to the effect that no other violations of neutrality had been committed except that by a British collier, whose radio apparatus was dismantled. The executive order as to the unneutral use of the radio will be promptly and efficiently enforced. Though no other violations have been reported, Secretary Daniels, acting upon the suggestion of Col. Goethals, will send a ship to Panama tomorrow so as to be in a position to make impossible any violation of the Executive order. He has ordered the Tacoma, which is now in Santo Domingo, to this duty."

Ambassador Spring-Rice of Great Britain called at the State Department this afternoon and stated that some of the English ships had sailed from their home ports before they were familiar with the President's proclamation, and requested that they be given full information concerning it. As soon as that request was received Secretary Daniels sent the following telegram to the radio station at Colon:

"So far as practicable inform all vessels approaching Canal Zone of limitations under which they must use their radio while in territorial waters of the zone."

Information reaching the British Embassy was said to prove that no British national vessel knowingly violated the laws of neutrality in the Panama Canal by improper use of radio outfits.

It was pointed out to the naval officials and also to Secretary Garrison, with whom the Ambassador was in conference, that the British government not only had no intention of violating the rules as to wireless in the Canal Zone or in any American waters, but cheerfully subscribed to them and had been vitally interested in having the present regulations forbidding the unneutral use of wireless equipment in America.

Secretary Daniels said tonight that he expected Lieut. Crenshaw, the naval radio officer who returned to his duties at Panama today after a furlough, would immediately report on the wireless situation.

SEND DESTROYERS, SAYS GOETHALS.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

PANAMA, Dec. 16.—Col. George W. Goethals has again cabled to Secretary of War Garrison at Washington setting forth his need for torpedo-boat destroyers in canal ports in order to preserve the neutrality of the Canal Zone. In his message Col. Goethals says he has no means of preventing the use of the canal or Panaman ports as a means of communication, and that these ports apparently are being used to this end at the present time.

Speaking of the situation today, Col. Goethals expressed the opinion that there was as much necessity for torpedo-boat destroyers at canal ports as at any of the American ports, where they were stationed to prevent any breaches of maritime laws or of neutrality. He declared that judging from reports reaching him, it was evident that the vicinity of the isthmus was being used as a temporary base for the transfer of supplies and as a means of communication.

Flanders.

GERMANS FOOT BY FOOT OPPOSE ALLIES' ADVANCE

Operations of Utmost Importance on Frontier of Belgium.

British and French Troops Continue Offensive Making Slight Progress—Preparations Being Made in Poland for New Series of Battles—Rome Says Austrians Admit Loss of Hundred Thousand.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The raid of German warships on the northeast of England and their escape in the fog after having bombarded Scarborough, Hartlepool and Whitby, where a number of persons were killed and wounded, and considerable damage done to property, completely overshadows the operations on land.

These operations, however, as on preceding days, have been of the utmost importance. The British, French and Belgian troops have continued their offensive in the west, and according to the French official reports, have made further slight progress. This was not accomplished without serious opposition on the part of the Germans, who at every point where an advance was attempted, fought against it foot by foot.

Along the coast of Flanders, where the allies are trying to push their lines forward from Nieuport they had the assistance of the British fleet, which violently bombarded Westende, one of the many little coast towns which have suffered greatly since the commencement of the war. This attack, Berlin says, was without effect, and the allies were repulsed.

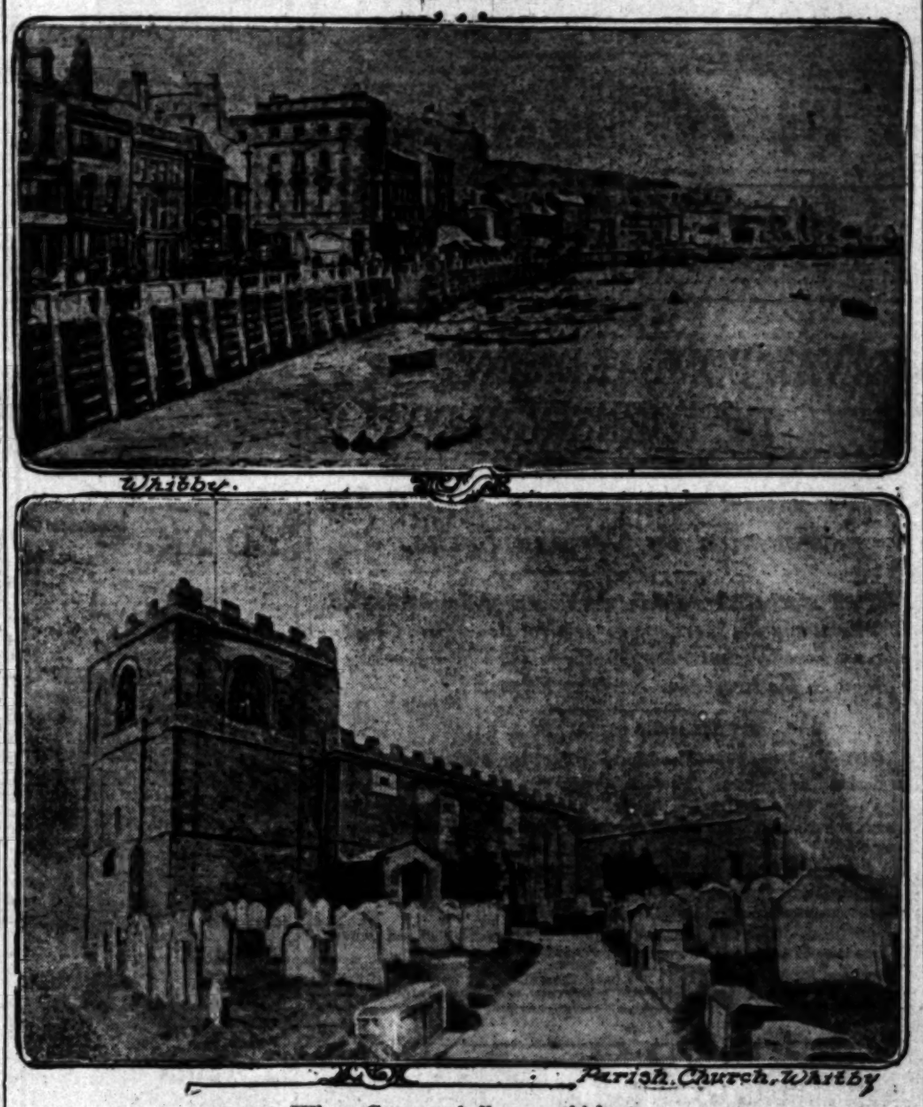
Farther inland the French also claim to have gained ground, although in a less marked degree than on previous days. In the Argonne there apparently has been a lull in the fighting, but both in the Woevre and Alsace, the two other regions where severe fighting has been in progress for some time, the Germans appear to have delivered counter attacks.

In Poland preparations are being made for a new battle or series of battles. The Russians, according to a former member of the Cabinet at Petrograd, have decided despite the disappointment it must cause, to withdraw their left wing at least and form a new line back of their own territory. This will relieve Cracow, but will compel the Austro-German forces to fight farther away from the strategic railways by which they so quickly moved troops to desired points.

This plan doubtless will affect the rest of the battle front also, except in the extreme north of Poland, where the German column has been driven back by a superior force of Russians.

A Rome dispatch credits the Austrians with having admitted the loss of 100,000 men in their expedition against Servia, and their subsequent defeat by the army of that little nation.

The Abbey and Harbor at Whitby.



Where German shells came thickest.

From photos lent The Times by Mrs. Sarah B. Craw of No. 436 East Forty-third street. Whitby, on the Yorkshire coast, was seriously damaged by the fire from the German raiding ships.

Official.

AUSTRIA ADMITS LOSSES OF HUNDRED THOUSAND.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Rome says:

"It is officially admitted in Vienna that the Austrians killed or wounded in their defeat by the Servians numbered 100,000. Public sentiment and indignation are strong against the leaders in the attack, especially against Field Marshal Potiorek, who but eight days ago accepted from the Emperor a high decoration after telegraphing that the Servians had been completely defeated and that he would be in Nish in three weeks.

"This telegram also resulted in Gen. Haal, commander of the fortress at Sarajevo, being appointed Governor of Belgrade, whence he was constrained to flee five days after his arrival."

Violence.

RIOTING IN AUSTRIA OVER DEFEAT IN SERVIA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 16.—According to reports from the Austrian frontier, the situation in the dual monarchy is approaching what might be called a crisis.

These reports are worthy of credence. They set forth that following the news of the defeat inflicted on the Austrians by the Servians, the situation became grave and was rendered more acute by internal disorders, especially at Vienna, Budapest and Prague.

At Vienna a large crowd gathered in the Ringstrasse and marched to the Foreign Office and the War Office, the people calling loudly to protest against the way the war is being conducted. At Prague there were demonstrations, which assumed a separatist character, in the sense that the Bohemians do not desire to see their sons killed for German or anti-Slav interests and have not hesitated to express their views along this line.

At Budapest the demonstrations were more violent and almost assumed the character of a riot. The principal streets of the city had to be cleared by the police, and while attempting to make its way to the Ministry of Defense, the crowd cried "Down with Potiorek."

Gen. Potiorek is one of the Austrian commanders.

Neglect.

SWITZERLAND AND SERVIA FORGOTTEN BY OUR SANTA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 16.—It is difficult to say whether the news reaching here from Servia is arousing a greater degree of admiration for the heroic qualities of the Servian people than it does pity for their sufferings.

While the assistance and sympathy of the entire world has gone out to carry relief to the Belgians, to the the French people, to the Poles and to the people of Galicia, nobody seems to realize that in Servia disease and the cold weather are today finding more victims than do the bullets of the Austrian soldiers. The conditions in Servia are such that the wounded die unattended on the battlefields and are abandoned in isolated villages.

There is a lack of ambulances, of doctors, of nurses, of medicines, and of surgical instruments, even of bandages and disinfectants. In several Servian villages there are today about 1000 wounded in each community. In some cases one single doctor has no fewer than 1000 men in his care.

PITY 'TIS, 'TIS TRUE.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

GENEVA (Switzerland) Dec. 2.—The Swiss papers ask why the United States has forgotten Swiss children in the distribution of Christmas gifts in Europe. Switzerland is not fighting, but its fathers, husbands and brothers to the number of 250,000 are guarding the frontier until the end of the war. They will not return home before Christmas. Their children will not have any presents. The Swiss army is entrenched on the frontiers and in their Alpine forts ready to attack the first army which crosses its frontier, while the women and children are suffering.

NEGLECT IS EXPLAINED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Chicago sponsors of the plan whereby Christmas presents were sent by Americans to the children of the warring nations of Europe tonight said no gifts were forwarded on the United States steamer Jason for Swiss children because the idea was to furnish such holiday mementoes to only those countries engaged in fighting.

The presents were destined for the orphans of soldiers killed in battle and for those whose homes and property had been destroyed during the conflict. The plan did not contemplate furnishing Christmas presents to all the children in Europe.

ENGLISH WOMEN TO ARM FOR THEIR OWN DEFENSE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A meeting was held today at the Mansion House to aid the movement for the formation of a woman's volunteer reserve, the object of which, according to the Lord Mayor who presided, as "to provide a trained and highly efficient body of women whose services can be offered to the state if required."

Such women, said the Lord Mayor, could be trained for signaling, dispatch riding, telegraphing, motoring and camp cooking and could thus replace men who might be more usefully employed on the firing line.

The Right Hon. Henry Chaplin, M. P., explained that the corps was intended to be employed in the event of an invasion of this country "by hordes of German barbarians." It was not proposed to arm women for aggression, he added, but "to arm them for their own defense in the last extremity is very different and entirely justifiable."

Four companies of the women's volunteer reserve already have been formed, with Viscountess Castle Reagh as colonel.

Experts.

GERMAN NAVAL RAID A FEINT, EXPERT OPINION OF HOBSON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Representative Richmond Pearson Hobson of Alabama, one of the naval experts of the House, expressed the opinion that the German attack on the northeast coast of England was in the nature of a feint.

"Unless the attack by German naval forces on the English coast develops further it would appear to be in the nature of a decoy," Mr. Hobson said. "Evidently, in addition to the moral effect to be gained by the impression created in the mind of the British public by the attack, it has for its purpose the drawing away of the British battle fleet from its present position in order to lay it open to attacks by submarines."

Data gathered today in official quarters revealed that the east coast of England, except for the protection which the fleet gives her, probably is vulnerable at a number of points. No estimate could be given as to the exact strength of the east coast defenses, nor any assurance that there were not hidden defenses unknown to the outside world. From what knowledge they have, however, officials were inclined to the opinion that the coast fortifications and batteries were of secondary importance in the English scheme of coast line protection to the dreadnaughts, cruisers and destroyers and submarines moving about in the waters of the North Sea.

WASHINGTON STIRRED.

Diplomatic Washington was stirred today by the news of the bombardment.

The actual attacks on British coast towns, accomplishing, even in a small way, the long-talked-of descent of the German navy on the English coast, developed much discussion among naval experts and tacticians.

While government officials made no formal comment, the bombardment was discussed in Congressional as well as in executive quarters, as all the naval events abroad have been, with particular application to hypothetical situations in which American defenses might be involved.

The consensus of opinion among naval men was that the raid by the German cruisers was for moral effect and did not screen a general invasion of England by Zeppelins and German submarines, although the vulnerability of Great Britain to such attacks was to some extent emphasized by it. On the other hand, experts thought any sustained attack on the English coast would require many more ships than were engaged today and by the time any effort was made to land an expeditionary force, the English fleet could be brought into action.

VIEW OF EXPERTS.

The view of most naval experts was summarized in the following opinion from a high American naval officer and tactician:

"As reported there were only four German cruisers and they bombarded three towns on the east coast of England within a range of about fifty miles.

"Since no one of these towns contains anything which is of military value to the English, the thing can be considered from all facts as a raid, pure and simple, for the moral effect to be produced on England.

"No military value can be attached to the raid, in so far as invasion is concerned. The number of ships employed would be useless for invasion purposes unless there were troop ships back of them, and it is hardly conceivable that Germany would make such a raid without larger and stronger vessels to protect the troop ships. While this can be considered only as a raid, back of it may be the gathering of submarines attending the German cruisers to take advantage of any concentration of British forces sent to head off the cruisers.

"When the Germans are ready to invade England they will do it after a serious naval action in which major vessels take part. No other military movement is conceivable which will attain results."

The first feeling was one of surprise that the cordon of British ships, which was said to form a ring of assured defense around the British Isles, had been suddenly penetrated and serious damage inflicted on the British coast ports.

It was pointed out that this might put to a serious test the late Rear-Admiral Mahan's noted theory of sea power, according to which a strong naval force could hold at bay the attacks of invaders. It is recalled also that the northeast coast of England, in the immediate vicinity of today's German attack, had been the historic point of England's invasion in the past, the Northmen having entered through the Himber and advanced toward York, where the famous battle of Stamford bridge was fought.

HISTORIC COAST.

All historic Danish and Teutonic movements also have been across the North Sea against the cities of the north coast of England, although Napoleon's projected invasion was to have been from Boulogne and Calais against Folkestone and points along the southern coast. Against such movements, British sea power has been counted on as the chief defense.

Discussion of the raid among diplomatists friendly to the allies led to the expression of opinions that the first direct attack on British soil would in all probability develop advantages to England by bringing the English people face to face with actual war and would perhaps stimulate recruiting.

Noted.

THREE BOMBARDED TOWNS ARE FAMOUS IN HISTORY.

SCARBOROUGH is a seaport and fashionable resort of England in the northern part of Yorkshire, on a headland extending into the North Sea. It is thirty-seven miles northeast of the Imperial English city of York. It is a little more than 200 miles from London. Scarborough has been popularly styled the "queen of watering places." The town has a large spa, an interesting aquarium, a museum and a fine drive and promenade pier. The permanent population of the place is more than 40,000 persons.

Hartlepool is a seaport and municipal borough of England in the southeast portion of the county of Durham. It is about forty miles northeast of Scarborough on a promontory that extends into the North Sea. Its population is about 25,000. Adjoining Hartlepool is West Hartlepool, a city of more than 65,000 inhabitants.

The Hartlepools, which are provided with a vast system of docks, before the war had an active trade with the Baltic ports and with Hamburg, Antwerp and Rotterdam. The chief industries are shipbuilding, iron founding and construction of marine engines. The two ports are of ancient origin, but modern prosperity.

Scarborough is finely situated in the form of an amphitheater on slopes rising from the sea and terminated on the north and the south by abrupt cliffs. The most prominent feature of the resort is a promontory 300 feet high which rises above the harbor on the north side and which is surmounted by the ruins of a twelfth-century castle.

This promontory divides North Scarborough Bay from the south bay. The north cliffs begin near it. The north bay is embellished with gardens and along its shore is the marine drive, two miles long and protected by a seawall.

The fashionable part of Scarborough is in the southern half of the city and is separated from the old town by the park. On the southern side are the spa gardens and the mineral springs. At the back of the south cliff rises Oliver's Mountain, 600 feet high, affording a good view of the port and the sea.

Hartelpool was the place where the Comte de Bar landed from his fleet in 1171 to assist William, the Lion of Scotland, in invading England. From that time the importance of the harbor seems to have been appreciated and it was the only ancient port of the Palatinate. Here Bishop Pudsey prepared the galley, fitted with silver and containing a silver throne, seated on which he intended to accompany Richard I to the crusades.

Hartlepool formerly was a very perfect specimen of a fortified town. It was circled by a wall strengthened by bastions, a breast wall and parapet and there were ten towers to defend it. In the reign of Queen Elizabeth the town fell into such decay that it was spoken of as "an ancient, decayed coast town, once a brave, stately and well-fortified town, now only a sea land habitation for fishermen."

It continued to go down until 1813, when a law was passed for improving the port. It then began to improve until it now is an important port for the exportation of coal and importation of lumber.

Scarborough was the scene of the landing of the Norseman Haroid Hardrada in 1055, when he began his invasion of North Britain.

Whitby is situated on the banks of the Esk at its junction with the sea. The extensive ruins of the celebrated Abbey of St. Hilda at Whitby upon the summit of the east cliff and the ancient church closely adjoining are the most notable buildings of the town and are prominent from the sea. Whitby harbor is protected at its entrance by stone piers running out for 350 yards. On one of these extensions is a handsome stone light tower elevated eighty-three feet above the sea. The trade of Whitby is still of considerable importance, though it has declined of recent years. Sixty years ago Whitby was an important whaling port.

ALBANIA DECLARES WAR ON SERVIA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 16.—A dispatch from Constantinople to the Telegraaf says that the tribes in Northern Albania have declared war on Servia.

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ATTACK ON BRITISH BY EGYPTIAN TRIBES

Russians Lose Two Hundred T... in Last Two Weeks.

Berlin Declares in Retreat Through Poland ... visions Were Carried Away and Inh... in Greatest Distress—Epidemic of Typhoid ... Among Belgians Fighting in Flanders.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 16.—The official press bureau tonight gave out the following items for publication:

"The Senussi tribesmen have begun an attack against the British in Egypt.

"During the last two weeks' fighting in Poland the Russians have lost about 200,000 men. A correspondent was taken to a German artillery position during the fight. He declares that among all the men there was keen enthusiasm and splendid discipline. He says the Germans are being well cared for.

"The Russians, during the retreat, carried away all victuals. The Russian Poles are in great distress. They are being poorly fed, mainly with potatoes. The German authorities are doing all they can to prevent famine among the population. They have allowed the people to search the battlefield for wood. There is an excellent understanding between the Germans and the inhabitants in the conquered territory of Poland.

"The Russian ... sphere gave rise to ... anxiety but the ... broken down."

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"The total ... Russian prisoners ... now 475,000."

It's Coming.

WARSAW IS PREPARING FOR GERMAN ASSA...

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WARSAW, Dec. 16 (via London.)—While the consensus of opinion in Warsaw is that the second German attempt to reach the city has resulted in failure, it is a fact that the Germans have begun a rapid concentration of their forces at the extreme left of their Lowicz-Ilow front, practically on the banks of the Vistula. They are said to have thrown a bridge across the river to the southeast of Plock and it appears that they are preparing to cross the Vistula to the rear of the Russian line running between Plock and a point south of Miawa, or move up the left bank between Ilow and the river.

This new German concentration in such force, it is believed by competent Russian observers here, constitutes an effort to drive a wedge back of Sochaczew, thirty miles west of Warsaw, with the idea of cutting railroad communication between Lodz and Warsaw. This movement has been met by a strongly-reinforced Russian column, which during the past several days has been slowly forcing the Germans back in the vicinity of Sochaczew. Here the ... vers, each side ... tacks and ... Little ... of the fighting in ... ity is evident in ... ness houses are ... thronged as ... flights of ... bomb-dropping ... but the people ... are becoming ... itations, which, ... ceptions, have ... age or loss of life. ... six bombs have ... city of Warsaw.

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[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

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[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

GENEVA (Switzerland) Dec. 16 (via Paris.)—Reports which have filtered through the Swiss Tyrol frontier from Innsbruck, Austria, are to the effect that one of the principal reasons why the Servian army took 20,000 prisoners after their victory over the Austrians was that the Slav element in the Austrian retreating forces gladly surrendered, shouting "Welcome, comrades; don't shoot."

Even some of the officers deserted, the reports say. A few Austrian officers, it is added, were found shot in the back. Vienna is still unaware that Belgrade has been retaken by the Servians, but Budapest is better informed.

French and English aerial excur... sions are almost ... across Alsace ... temburg, the object ... ing chiefly the ... road lines and ... prevent troops ... Alsace-Lorraine.

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Petrograd.

VIOLENT GERMAN ATT... REPULSED BY RUS...

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 16.—The Army Messenger publishes a series of communications from the front as follows:

"On the front of Lowicz and Ilow violent German attacks have had no success. Our troops have repulsed the Germans, causing them to suffer great losses.

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FIFTY PERSONS ARE K... AT HARTLEPOOL BY ...

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A dispatch from Stockton-on-Tees to the Exchange Telegraph Company says:

"The effect of the bombardments at Hartlepool was that thirty persons were killed and 100 injured. At West Hartlepool ... and many ... "Shells ... Church ... churches ...

TWO BISHOPS CONSECRATED.

Revs. Paul Jones of Salt Lake and George C. Huntington of Berkeley Elevated by Episcopal Church.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 16.—Rev. Paul Jones of Salt Lake City was consecrated as bishop of the Episcopal diocese and Rev. George C. Huntington of Berkeley, Cal., as bishop of Nevada by ... Tuttle, ... dral ... Episcopal ... Right Rev. ... ifornia; ... Bishop ... Bishop ... quin, ... and ...

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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WILSON SHOPS IN THE RUSH.

Pushes His Way in Crowd to Complete His Purchases for Christmas.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—President Wilson did his Christmas shopping today. He went into the downtown district at the rush hour, armed with a list of purchases he desired to make and visited a department store, two book stores and a jewelry establishment. All of the places were crowded and at times the President had to push his way energetically to get what he wanted. He was recognized by many of the shoppers and greeted all who spoke to him with a broad smile. He was followed by several secret service men. Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, the President's daughter, will arrive early next week to spend Christmas at the White House. She is expected to remain for more than a month.

Not Ready.

NAVY NEEDS MORE MEN.

FIFTY THOUSAND COULD BE USED TO FILL COMPLEMENT.

According to Experts Our Fleet Ranks Third in Strength but it is a Long Ways from Being Prepared for War with a Strong Power on Short Notice.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Inquiry into the condition and needs of the navy was contiued today by the House Naval Committee with Assistant Secretary Franklin D. Roosevelt on the stand.

During the hearing Representative Hobson made public a telegram from Col. Theodore Roosevelt saying he did not think any useful purpose would be served by his appearing before the committee. Mr. Hobson had suggested that the former President be called as a witness.

Questioned about the shortage of the men in the navy, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt said:

"We are from 20,000 to 50,000 men short of the needs of the navy, as laid down in the confidential war plans of the War College."

He explained that many additional men would be needed for purposes other than manning ships now in commission. Asked why serviceable vessels were laid up in reserve, he said no nation kept all of its ships constantly in commission, except Haiti, with its navy of two gunboats.

Mr. Roosevelt explained a table worked out some months ago by the Navy Department, according to a well-known formula, showing the strength in armored fighting craft of various navies in "points." It placed the three leading powers as follows:

England, 7762.
Germany, 3818.
United States, 3561.

Representative Witherspoon suggested that these figures might be changed by today's events in the North Sea, and Mr. Roosevelt agreed that they might be very materially changed before morning.

Better ships and equipment for the Naval Militia were urged by the Assistant Secetary as the most practicable way of building up a reserve. He said the navy now could command 7000 militiamen in case of need.

The navy, Mr. Roosevelt assured the committee, has gone steadily ahead during the past year, had improved its personnel, had better ships than ever before, owned more ammunition, and had increased the number of both submarines and torpedo boats.

"Are we any less prepared than ever before?" asked Representative Gray of Indiana.

"I am unable to answer that question, as I do not know definitely what the condition of other powers is at this time."

"Have you any reason to believe we are less prepared?"

"Yes, comparatively, because certain other nations have been making preparation in various ways, drilling, organizing and so on, for some months, all being directed to actual prosecution of war. So they have increased their preparations for war. Relatively, we are not so prepared as when the European war began."

"From incidental reports," he added, "I am certain other nations have very greatly increased their submarine strength, a fact which Congress should consider in framing the naval bill."

Rear-Admiral Fisk, chief of the Bureau of Operations, will testify tomorrow, and Representative Gardner of Massachusetts will have a hearing Friday.

LITERACY TEST VOTE TODAY.

CERTAIN IMMIGRANTS TO BE EXEMPTED UNDER PRESENT AMENDMENTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Discussion of the proposed literacy test for aliens, which President Wilson has said he did not consider a fair test for persons seeking entrance to America, began today when the Senate resumed consideration of the immigration bill. A vote is expected tomorrow.

Amendments submitted by Senators Thomas of Colorado and Williams of Mississippi, to extend exemptions to the literacy test, precipitated debate, which will be continued tomorrow. Under the terms of the bill immigrants who left their country "for the purpose of escaping from religious persecution" would be exempt from the test.

Senator Thomas's amendment would add to this the words "whether evidenced by overt acts or discriminating laws or regulations" to meet objections to the provision raised by prominent Jews in America. Senator Smith of South Carolina, chairman of the Immigration Committee, insisted that the Jews needed no exemption from the literacy test.

Senator Williams's amendment would exempt for five years after the passage of the act persons forced to flee "because of the military conquest of their country."

Sixty-third Congress.

SHIPPING BILL IS REPORTED.

New Merchant Marine Act is Before the Senate.

All Amendments are Voted Down in Committee.

Provisions of the Measure are Fully Explained.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The ship purchase bill urged by President Wilson was favorably reported to the Senate for action today after several amendments proposed by minority members had been defeated in committee.

The vote on the motion to report the bill was 8 to 6, Senators Smith of Michigan, Burton, Perkins, Nelson and Oliver, Republicans, and Vardaman, Democrat, voting against it. Some Democrats of the committee, however, reserved the right to offer amendments in the Senate to include coastwise shipping.

Minority members contemplate making a separate report. Amendments proposed by Senator Smith and other minority members, voted down by the committee, included provisions that the United States should purchase no ships from belligerent nations or from citizens of the belligerent nations, and that no government-controlled ships should transport contraband of war.

The bill introduced in the House at the last session would provide that the United States, acting through a shipping board to be created, subscribe to the capital stock of a corporation to be organized for the purchase, construction and operation of merchant ships between the Atlantic, Gulf or Pacific ports of the country, and Central and South America and elsewhere "to meet the foreign requirements of the United States."

The initial capital stock of the corporation would be $10,000,000 to be increased by the shipping board with approval of the President. The United States would subscribe for 51 per cent. of the original stock and of each increase, and might subscribe further for the remainder of the stock not taken by the public. For the construction and purchase of vessels the bill provides for the sale of Panama Canal bonds not to exceed $30,000,000.

The government, through the shipping board, would turn over to the ship corporation all vessels purchased or constructed, the corporation issuing to the United States in return 4 per cent. gold bonds.

It is the purpose of administration leaders to present the bill in the Senate immediately after voting on the immigration bill.

Nominations.

WILSON STANDS BY APPOINTEES.

SERVES NOTICE OF FIGHT TO CONFIRM CANDIDATES.

Anti-administration Democrats, Looking for Trouble with White House, will Get it is the Word that O'Gorman and Other Opponents of President have Received.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—If anti-administration Democratic Senators whose candidates for Federal appointments have not been named by President Wilson want a fight they will get it from the President, according to statements made today at the White House. It was said definitely that the President will stand behind the appointments he had made in New York, Missouri and New Jersey, against which Senators O'Gorman, Reed and Martine have protested.

In addition to refusing to withdraw the rejected nomination of John D. Lynn as United States Attorney for the western district of New York, the President intends to give Mr. Lynn another recess appointment after March 5, when his present recess appointment expires automatically.

Senator Martine is opposing the nomination of George Hampton as internal revenue collector for the Camden district in New Jersey, and has the nomination held up in the Senate. Mr. Hampton is serving under a recess appointment made by the President shortly before the convening of the present session in Congress.

In Missouri the President gave a recess appointment to E. C. Bland as United States Marshal, despite the fact that Senator Reed was supporting another man. White House officials declared today the President would stand behind Mr. Bland.

DEFENSE INQUIRY AMUSING TO TAFT.

DECLARES ALL INFORMATION NEEDED IS NOW BEFORE CONGRESS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EAST ORANGE (N. J.) Dec. 16.—"I was amused by the recent demand for an investigation of the coast defenses of this country," said former President William H. Taft in an address before the Woman's Club here tonight. "The investigation is the thing needed the least. All the information that any investigators might want now is to be found on file in reports to Congress.

"If you want to conceal any fact you could not do it beter than to put it into the official reports to Congress," he added.

Mr. Taft thought that although the war in Europe made the probability of an attack upon this nation more remote than it had been for years, the present widespread discussion of the national preparedness for possible war would prove valuable in drawing the attention of the people to certain of our military needs.

Mr. Taft urged keeping the navy up to a high standard and the addition of about 25 per cent. to the strength of the army, so that we might have troops enough to man the coast defense properly. He argued also for a stronger militia.

TEXAS "WETS" WIN VICTORY.

Law Prohibiting Shipment of Liquor into Dry Area Invalidated.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

AUSTIN (Tex.) Dec. 16.—The stringent Allison liquor law, prohibiting shipment of liquor into dry territory in Texas, today was practically invalidated by a decision of the Court of Criminal Appeals which Judge Prendergast said "wiped it off the statute books." Today's decision declared any person or agent might carry or ship liquor into dry territory provided it was not the intention to use the liquor for unlawful purposes or for resale in dry area. The Allison law forbade newspapers to carry liquor advertisements in dry territory.

PUTS A LIMIT ON FROZEN.

UP TO A CERTAIN POINT IT IS SAFE, SAYS NEW YORK DOCTOR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Christmas dinner was under the microscope today before the House Commerce Committee in hearings on the McKellar bill to limit the length of time food products may be kept in cold storage. A delegation representing cold storage interests discussed the measure.

Dr. H. D. Pease, director of the department of bacteriology at the Lederle Laboratory in New York, examined as to how long turkey could be kept in cold storage and be fit for food, said cold-storage turkey was safe if inspected by government inspectors before and after being placed in the cold-storage vaults.

He thought, however, that a limit on time food products can be stored should be placed on all products not frozen solid for keeping.

Charles F. Droste of New York told the committee it was impossible to keep butter and eggs in cold storage for more than nine months.

The delegation will continue its discussion of the bill tomorrow.

FOR COAL TRADE IN SOUTH AMERICA.

VIRGINIA, TENNESSEE AND KENTUCKY PLANS FIGURE IN INVESTIGATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Plans of Virginia-Tennessee-Kentucky coal operators for developing a trade in South America figured prominently in today's session of the Senate Committee investigating charges that the Southern Railway "bottled up" this coal field.

Frank C. Wright of Bristol, Tenn., stated that as soon as new piers were completed at Charleston, S. C., an attempt would be made to compete with Welch coal in South America.

Attorneys for the Southern inquired if the heavy return cargoes of British ships carrying coal to South America were not such a large factor in the sale of Welch coal that American operators could not overcome the advantage.

"We think not," responded Mr. Wright. "Of course that is one of the problems this government faces in purchasing ships for the commercial business."

SENDS TREATY TO THE SENATE.

ANOTHER CANAD ROUTE GUARANTEED UNDER THE ARRANGEMENT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—After months of deliberation and repeated failure to get action, the Foreign Relations Committee today ordered the Nicaraguan treaty reported to the Senate for ratification. The United States would pay $3,000,000 for a Nicaraguan canal route and naval bases on the Bay of Fonseca.

The treaty includes an amendment prescribing that Nicaragua shall utilize a portion of the $3,000,000 for the adjudication of claims and payment of certain debts.

Consideration of bills to prohibit export of arms, food and clothing to European belligerents was taken up by the committee without action. No time was devoted to the Colombian treaty.

PROVIDES FOR APPEAL.

Cases in State Courts that Conflict With Federal Laws May now Go to Supreme Court.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—An amendment to the Federal Judicial Code, allowing appeals to the Supreme Court in cases where State courts have held State statutes invalid because of conflict with Federal rights or laws, was adopted today by the House. It already has passed the Senate.

Under the present code, appeals are allowed only in cases where the Supreme Court of a State has held that State legislation does not violate a Federal right. Consequently, it was pointed out in debate, when the State courts held the New York workmen's compensation law invalid, as in conflict with the Fourteenth Amendment of the Federal Constitution, while similar laws were held to be valid in New Jersey, Washington and other States, supporters of the New York law were unable to appeal.

The measure carried a special provision which would prevent the Texas Pacific Railroad from taking its cases into the Federal Courts on the sole plea that it holds a Federal charter.

DENIES AIDING GERMANY.

Congressmen Denounce Charges That House Resolutions are Designed to Help Prussians.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Published charges that Congressional resolutions to prevent the export of munitions of war from the United States were designed to aid Germany were indignantly denounced in the House today by Representatives Bartholdt, Vollmer and Lobeck.

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HERRICK CALLS ON WILSON.

Former Ambassador to France Discusses Question of Clearinghouse for Relief to Destitute Non-combatants.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Myron T. Herrick, former Ambassador to France, called on President Wilson today and discussed his plan for establishing in New York a clearing-house for relief to destitute non-combatants in Europe.

Mr. Herrick told the President briefly of his experiences in Paris and the President warmly commended him for his work. Mr. Herrick called later on Secretary Bryan. When mention of a Presidential boom was made to Mr. Herrick he shook his head impatiently and refused to discuss the question.

BERNSTORFF HAS "PROOF."

German Ambassador Reiterates Statement that Dumdums Are Being Manufactured for the British.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Count Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, has sent the following letter to the general manager of the Remington Arms Union Metallic Cartridge Company, in reply to the denial of that concern that as has manufactured dum dum bullets for the English army rifle:

"In answer to your favor of the 10th inst., I beg to say that I have submitted to the State Department proof of my statement that your company is manufacturing so-called dumdum bullets to the English army rifle.

"Permit me to add that I am fully aware of the fact that everybody in this country has a right to manufacture and sell whatever ammunition he desires."

HELPS DESERT ENTRYMAN.

Bill to Allow Cultivation of Trees and Extension of Time to Secure Water is Introduced.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 16.—Representative Hayes introduced a bill today to amend the desert land law by permitting the cultivation of one-sixteenth of the land entered to trees, vines or spineless cactus in lieu of ordinary crops and accepting any approved mode of irrigation. Hayes also introduced a bill for the relief of desert land entrymen in Fresno and Kings counties by providing that where $1 an acre has been expended in reclaiming land, without having obtained enough water in four years' time to irrigate one-eighth of the land, as prescribed by law, they shall be allowed an extension of three years' time to secure enough water to comply with the law.

CELEBRATE PEACE CENTENARY.

Church Union Asks All Denominations to Join in Observing Anniversary on February Fourteenth.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Church Peace Union, embracing all denominations, has asked all American churches to celebrate on Sunday, February 14, the centenary of the ratification of the treaty of Ghent.

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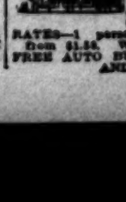

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Purdue University Case to be Tried Next Month.

Victim Declares Her Health was Greatly Impaired.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LAFAYETTE (Ind.) Dec. 16.—That the famous Purdue University hazing case will come up for trial early next month was assured today when Miss Mabel Rogers came here from Shoals, Ind., and subjected herself to oral examination before a notary public at the office of Will R. Wood, attorney for the seven defendants in Miss Rogers's suit for damages growing out of a hazing episode one night in January last.

Miss Rogers, who last year was a freshman at Purdue, brought suit in April in the Tippecanoe county Superior Court, asking $10,000 damages for personal injuries and naming Mary Clark, Indianapolis; Ruth Cowan, Chicago; Mary Sheridan, Attica; Agnes Phillips, Monroeville; May Blue, Star City, Ind.; Esther Kistner, Terre Haute, and Helen Lee, Oxford, Ind.

Miss Rogers's visit to Lafayette today was occasioned by an agreement of the attorneys on the respective sides, the Indiana statutes permitting the defendant in an action for damages to obtain a statement from the plaintiff. The defendants have not yet answered the complaint. Attorney Wood will have the assistance of several other attorneys in fighting the case, which promises to be the most sensational ever tried in this county.

Miss Rogers, in her oral examination, related the story of the alleged nude hazing. She said that the girls came to her room when she was studying.

"At first," she said, "I took everything good naturedly. They were laughing and so was I. They gradually grew rougher.

"After they stuck me with pins I did not laugh any more and I resisted each time that they took hold of me. The girls were in the room about fifteen minutes before it was suggested that I be put in the bathtub. Two of them took off my bathrobe and outer suit and threw me into the tub of cold water. They had me in the tub for about two minutes.

"Once the door was opened and I screamed to the other girls of the house to come to my assistance. They evidently did not hear me for no one came. I think that I was pushed clear under the water in the bathtub once, for my hair was wet when I got back to my room. Some of the girls who assisted in hazing me had been friendly, others had not."

Miss Rogers also told of how she was painted with red ink and they finally allowed her to go back to her room.

She said that she was very ill after the bath in the cold water and that her health has been impaired as a result.

TWO WARSHIPS PURSUING DRESDEN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Two British warships are pursuing the German cruiser Dresden, which left Punta Arenas on Sunday, according to an official telegram received today from the American Embassy at Santiago, Chile.

Mexico.

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ter of the interior, and shut off Villa's communication with the north. The Villa garrisons in Northern Mexico have been depleted greatly by the movement into Mexico City and troops from the national capital probably will be called upon to enter the northern theater of war.

MOVING ALONG BORDER.

Small groups of Carranza troops are also moving along the border. It appears that Carranza from Vera Cruz has ordered a general movement into the north, thus placing himself in Villa's old stronghold and at the same time retaining his coast and border ports.

Four hundred men from Gen. Hill's forces in the extreme east of Sonora have set out along the border toward Juarez, which is held by a small Villa garrison. Five hundred Carranza troops from Coahuila recently passed below Sierra Blanca, Tex., on their way toward Juarez.

The situation has been complicated by the appearance in Central Chihuahua of Gen. Jose Ynez Salazar, the former Federal leader, who escaped recently from jail at Albuquerque, N. M. It was learned today that more than 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition destined for Salazar's small force passed the border safely.

CASE OF MEAKER.

The British Ambassador at Washington has requested the local British Vice-Consul, H. C. Miles, to make an investigation of the imprisonment by Maytorena-Villa officials of H. Perry Meaker, an Englishman, who represented a New York realty firm. Meaker is charged with having aided Carranza adherents in escaping.

George C. Carothers, the Vice-Consul at Torreon, who has been acting as a field agent of the American State Department with Gen. Villa, arrived today at El Paso.

Carranza agents today repeated their previous claims that San Luis Potosi had fallen into their hands.

WOULD PUT END TO EXECUTIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 15 (via El Paso, Tex., Dec. 16.)—President Gutierrez will issue a decree tomorrow forbidding summary executions for political offenses. It is reported that many have been noted during the last week.

Gen. Blanco has arrived at the capital, but would make no statement except that he had retired from the army. It is reported that he has been slated for the post of Secretary of the Interior on the Gutierrez Cabinet.

Guadalajara, second largest city in Mexico, has been captured by the Villa forces, according to an official report made public here.

TRAIN BATTERY ON MAYTORENA.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NACO (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—An American battery was placed on the Bisbee road today, nearly three miles from Naco, but about two miles from the border in a straight line, and directly north of Gov. Maytorena's headquarters.

This battery faces the front of the Villista force besieging Gen. Hill's Carranza soldiers in Naco, Sonora. It also faces Hill's east trenches. The guns are trained directly south, and the gunners are stationed beside their artillery.

Two more American batteries are in the same relative positions as the one installed this morning, except that they are farther west.

No firing was carried on today by the Mexican factions, except an occasional shot from Hill's trenches.

MEAKER ON WAY TO HERMOSILLO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—H. Perry Meaker, a British subject arrested on the charge of aiding Carranza's adherents to escape from Sonora into Sinaloa, is now on his way to Hermosillo for trial, according to notification received tonight by J. T. T. Paxton, British Consul here.

Maytorena officials imprisoned Meaker at Navajoa. It is said he was deceived by Mexican ranchers into furnishing them transportation.

Paxton made a demand on Gov. Maytorena today for Meaker's immediate release.

TWO BATTLES ON IN MEXICO.

[BY MEXICAN CABLE AND A. P.]

VERA CRUZ, Dec. 16.—Officials here reported today that two battles had taken place. One was at Jaumave, near Tampico, in which it was claimed Gen. Carranza's forces won. The other was near San Pedro de las Colonias, between Torreon and Saltillo. In this fight Gen. Vasquez, commanding the Carranza forces, reported that he was making gains and declared that Gen. Villa's men had taken a trainload of wounded into Torreon.

Famed as a Prophetess.

Mme. Thebes

Of Paris, who says she predicted the assassination of Archduke Ferdinand and who now says the war will end within a year and that the Kaiser will lose his life or be otherwise eliminated.

Predicts End of War.

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of religious wars. She will be cured by fire.

For the house of Romanoff I see only good, despite the terrible perils born of hate. War is affecting a wonderful transformation in the character of the Slavs. Russia will emerge morally better and stronger by reason of interior accord.

Turkey is doomed to go from Europe. She asked for war and got it. However, she is not gone yet. I see blood, fire and tears. I see the entire Bosphorus red.

The time has not yet come for peace for entire Europe. Oh, no. Servia has not finished her wars. Bulgaria will be rent by men of the past.

I see many private dramas for America. I discern a woman singularly—even prodigiously—gifted with money and energy. Her hour is near. But she will meet an end she little expects.

Volcanoes will be active. There will be furious waves from burning seas. Lands will be covered and uncovered—yea, lives snuffed out by thousands.

Last Call.

SCOTT TO TRY HYPNOTISM ON THE WARRING MEXICANS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Brig.-Gen. Hugh L. Scott, Chief of Staff of the United States Army, left tonight for Naco, Ariz., to endeavor to use his personal influence with the warring factions near Naco to stop their firing into American territory. He was accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Robert E. L. Michie, who was on the staff of Gen. Scott when the latter was at El Paso.

Should this final effort fail and the threat of the American government communicated to both Provisional President Gutierrez and Gen. Carranza that force would be used if their subordinates did not cease firing into the United States go unheeded, it is generally understood that a defensive fire will be begun by the six batteries of artillery, eleven troops of cavalry and three regiments of infantry which have been ordered by the Washington government to the international line.

Gen. Scott will not supersede Gen. Bliss, who is in command of the Naco situation, but will act in a diplomatic capacity, a role in which he has had success in a similar situation at El Paso and the troubles among the Arizona Indians.

Provisional President Gutierrez has assured the United States government that none of the executions which have occurred in Mexico City recently have been at his orders, but were the result of "the commission of actual crimes." Gutierrez said a decree would be published today or tomorrow "prohibiting the carrying out of summary executions and providing for the trial of the accused by court-martial, with some one being permitted to conduct the defense."

Incidentally, it was learned today that the United States government in view of the recent executions in Mexico City, had pointed out in a friendly way to the Gutierrez government the horror which the civilized world felt toward such occurrences. American Consular representatives, moreover, were instructed to indicate that the American government could not but view with disfavor a continuation of such incidents.

Advices to the State Department from its agents in Mexico said the Villa forces had occupied Guadalajara, re-establishing telegraphic communication with Mexico City and the border after an interruption of a month. Perfect order prevails and Americans are safe. Gen. Villa is in Chihuahua and George C. Carothers, American Consul, has reached El Paso to report on the general situation.

Consular dispatches from Vera Cruz said Gen. Carranza had promised to extend adequate protection to railroad property when specific or contemplated injury was brought to his attention. The general informed the American government that diplomatic or consular officers of the Huerta or Gutierrez governments would not be recognized by him; that military authorities at Esperanza had been ordered to afford full protection to the Armengol property; that the Governor of Coahuila had been ordered to stop all confiscation procedure in the case of H. Brendel, an American, of whom 20,000 pesos rental on his farms had been demanded.

Gen. Palafox of the Zapata forces has promised to make restitution for losses sustained by an American dairyman named Hill whose ranch was looted when the Mexican capital was recently evacuated.

Pressure.

ENGLAND DEMANDS RELEASE OF SUBJECT HELD IN MEXICO

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—J. T. T. Paxton, British Consul here, made a demand today upon Gov. Jose Maytorena, now before Naco, for the immediate release of H. Perry Meaker, a British subject, who is held by Maytorena officers on the charge of having aided Carranza partisans to escape into Sinaloa. Meaker, it is stated, was deceived by the Mexican ranchers, who induced him to furnish transportation for them after they learned that a messenger carrying their pledge of loyalty to Carranza had fallen into the hands of Maytorena's Yaqui Indians.

Fighting at Cima, thirty miles south, between 250 Carranza troops and a like number of Maytorenistas continued today. Agua Prieta officials reported losses heavy on both sides.

RELATIVE APPEALS FOR HELP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

RENO (Nev.) Dec. 16.—R. Meaker, owner of a dairy here, has sent dispatches to Senators Newlands and Pittsman, to the British Consul at San Francisco, and to his brother, A. J. Meaker, a banker of Provo, Utah, asking them to have the United States act to save his brother, Perry J. Meaker, manager of a Mexican ranch, who has been arrested by Villa-Maytorena forces at Navajoa, Sonora.

Gov. Oddie has been asked to appeal to the British Ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice.

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Vice-Governor ... Favors Pending ...

Says Business Men ... Plan of Democra...

McIntyre Against ... Present Electoral ...

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Inves... passage of the pending bill ... Philippine Islands a promi... of self-government, the ... which declares the purpo... government to grant ... pendence when a stable ... has been erected there, ... fore the Senate Philippine ... tee today by Henderson ... Vice-Governor of the Islands.

Explaining that he spoke ... self, without seeking to ... opinions of the administ... Washington or Manila, Mr. ... clared he believed a definite ... which complete independence ... be granted should be announ...

"The Filipinos believe, ... lieved, ever since the Amer... pation," he said, "that ... just what this preamble ... do. They confidently expect ... sage of the bill and to ... preamble would shake the ... our good intentions toward ...

Mr. Martin expressed ... that the United States could ... the islands "bag and baggage" ... it goes. He did not look ... upon suggestions that an ... agreement for the neutrali... group be sought.

"I cannot understand ... we would lose by granting ... independence," he explained. ... islands are of no value to ... mercially, under our present ... government, and they are a ... weakness from a military ... I have been told by military ... we could not defend them ... country closer at hand."

Mr. Martin was satisfied ... nce were capable of gover... selves. Were the money ... said, it would be possible ... the 300,000 public school ... 700,000 in a short time, ... never seen such eagerness ...

Senator Lippitt asked ... men of the islands felt ... pendence proposals. ... other foreigners opposed ... nem replied, but the Fili... the indifferent peasant ... unit in desiring it.

Regarding the tr... might be given the na... ples by a wholly Filipino ... Mr. Martin said work ... tribesmen now was direc... pino chairman, who ... earnestness to serve the ... than an American might ... to show under similar cir...

Brig.-Gen. Frank McI... the Bureau of Insular ... mitted an opinion today ... ions of the bill widely ... electorate of the islands ... omitted. The War Dep... lieves, he said, that ... would closely follow the ... the new law, great con... result from granting fr... citizens capable of read... ing "a native language."

WOMAN ACCUSE... STATE AU...

WIFE OF ILLINOIS ... SAYS HE VIOLATED ... MANN ACT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—... Brady, State Auditor, was ... cused of having violated ... White-slave Act. The ... brought by Mrs. Mary ... Brady, whom he married ... and whose suit alleging ... promise against Brady is ...

Mrs. Brady visited Chief ... United States District Attor... and charged that the Sta... had violated the Federal law ... porting her from Detroit ... She is also said to have ... United States officials of ... state trips in addition to her ... journey. Mr. Clyne promised ... vestigate.

Mrs. Brady charges ... with having married her ... a few days after she had ... vorced. The Illinois Supreme ... has held that remarriage ... year of the divorce are illegal ... refused to make her his bride ... this State, Mrs. Brady charges.

ROOSEVELT ... WON'T DISCUSS NAVAL ...

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE]

WASHINGTON, Dec. ... Roosevelt will not appear ... House Naval Affairs Committee ... telegram from him today to ... sentative Hobson, who pro... Mr. Roosevelt be invited to ... situation and needs of the ...

"Thanks for your telegram ... not see where I can add any... what I have again and again ... and do not believe I would ... useful purpose by appearing ... not seem to me that it would ... to take any public action in ... ter. I would come if I could ... good, but I don't believe it ... any good.

[Signed] "THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Franklin Roosevelt, Assistant ... tary of the Navy, was a visitor ... the committee today.

AGED WOMAN MURDERED.

Body of Victim ... Woodshed at Rear of Her ... Detroit, Head Crushed.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

DETROIT, Dec. 16.—The ... Miss Frances Hamblin, 62 ... age, was found in a woodshed ... rear of her home here late ... Her head had been crushed ... ently death had occurred ... hours before the body was ...

Two men were ... ice. One, it was ... ing. Miss Hamblin ... the other man's name was ... bbins, but it was said to ... earded at Miss Hamblin's ...

It was also stated ... bloody ax was found ... in's body. A purse ... of the dead woman ... at was empty.

...ISH SHIP ... REPORTED SUNK

...AVE BEEN SENT TO ... OFF FALKLAND ... ISLANDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

...ON, Dec. 16.—Dispatch... ...n Embassy today from ... Minister at Santiago, ... that the British fleet ... the cruisers Scharnhorst, ... and Leipsig off the Falk... ...ently, was badly dam... ...ne of the British ships ... was sunk.

...ment issued tonight at the ... ...ty:

...ding to information received ... ...n Embassy from Chile, ...off the Falkland Islands ... ...o'clock in the morning ... ...ck in the evening. ... ...British ships, the Invincible, ...Gneisenau, Carnarvon, Corn... ...Glasgow and Bristol were ... ...ther German officers and ... ...ed, but lack of boats ... ...the number from being ... ...British cruiser Defiance ... ...port and has been seen ... ...Port Stanley.

...British, cruisers left ... ...ta, so that one must ... ...ank. The others were ...

...ER SUPPLY ... IS RESTORED.

...A. P. NIGHT WIRE AND A. P.]

...Dec. 16.—Petrograd's ... ...which yesterday was ... ...ut off owing to ... ...of the Neva River con... ...has been restored, ac... ...a telegram from the Rus... ...to Reuter's Telegram ...

...BRITISH ... BATTLE CRUISER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

...ON, Dec. 16.—The Prin... ...one of the new British ... ...a new class of patrol ... ...British waters, accord... ...of the steamship Esse... ...from London via ... ...As a precau... ...a surprise by the Ger... ...the Essequibo ... ...the Princess Royal ... ...Zealand.

...a new ship of the ... ...Packet Company, ...last voyage.

Naval Bombardment.

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ough are as open to the enemy as Atlantic City on the New Jersey coast.

Scarborough, with its old castle on a high hill, the big casino with a high tower, and the row of pretentious hotels on the water front, presents a shining mark for target practice. Few visitors were at the hotels, because of the cold weather, but one invalid is known to have been wounded, and was taken away on a stretcher.

In a direct line the mouth of the Tees is about 350 miles from Heligoland, the German naval base in the North Sea. The German ships, among their fastest, chose a night when a thick mist prevailed to reach the English coast, and must have left their base at least two hours before dark. As they started to return about 9 o'clock there still remained about seven hours of daylight for the pursuit, which, however, was rendered almost impossible by the fog.

How the Germans evaded all the mines and patrols remains somewhat of a mystery, although experts recall that in maneuvers British ships evaded patrols in the comparatively small space between England and Scilly Islands, which, however, was not mined.

The Admiralty report announces that such demonstrations are not difficult to accomplish, but the population generally cherished so great a confidence in the protection of the British navy that the inhabitants of the coast towns made no serious preparations to meet a bombardment.

Except for the working people, the British are apt to be late risers during the short winter days. The bombardment by the German cruisers occurred between 8 and 9 o'clock, an hour when many persons were at breakfast, while others were on their way to work or were opening their shops.

The booming of heavy guns off the three towns drew hundreds to the beaches. They had no thought of a German raid, but when shells came crashing over their heads and into the quiet streets, the people made a dash for shelter. Off shore the German guns did rapid work, the flashes coming incessantly and the shells finding a mark among the buildings. Many of the residents took refuge in the cellars; others rushed from their houses, among them women and children in their night clothes, and not a few sought the railway stations, leaving on the first trains out.

The guns of the land batteries at Hartlepool replied to the German fire and are reported to have hit and damaged some of the cruisers. Several shells from the warships burst among the Royal Engineers and Durham Light Infantry, and it was among these troops that the casualties of seven killed and fourteen wounded occurred.

IMPETUS TO RECRUITING.

The general belief in London is that the German attack will give impetus to recruiting, as it will show the country what the war means.

Today was one of eager waiting after the Admiralty bulletin was issued shortly before noon, saying:

"Our flotillas have at various points been engaged. The situation is developing."

Rumors of various kinds were spread broadcast from mouth to mouth. The first was that two German cruisers had been sunk. Many thought that the long-expected general naval engagement between the British and German fleets was progressing and that the shelling of the coast towns was merely incidental to this.

The Admiralty's report, issued at 9:30 o'clock tonight, giving the news that the German ships had eluded pursuit and were returning safely to their home waters, caused keen disappointment.

Naval writers express the opinion that six or eight ships were engaged. The Germans have available for such an attack the armored cruisers Bluecher, Roon, Prinz Albert, Prinz Heinrich and Prinz Friedrich Karl and more than twenty cruisers of smaller class.

EIGHTEEN KILLED AT SCARBOROUGH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A dispatch from Scarborough, passed by the London censors, says that eighteen people were killed at Scarborough today by the bombardment of German warships. In one house four persons were killed outright and in another house three were killed by bursting shells.

The local station of the coast guards was blown to pieces by shells.

Communion service was being celebrated in St. Martin's Church when two shells struck the building. The congregation remained calm.

The events of today have resulted in a general round-up of alien enemies on the east coast of England. Many such men are now being held pending a clearing up of the situation.

A SUBMARINE WITH CRUISERS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—A message to the Evening Star from Hartlepool says that a German submarine accompanied two German cruisers which bombarded that city. They appeared off the west of Hartlepool at 8 o'clock this morning and in a bombardment lasting half an hour inflicted great damage in all parts of the city. The message adds that a shell from one of the German cruisers struck the office of the Northern Daily Mail, destroying it. The work rooms were empty at the time. Several dwellings are in ruins.

No mention is made of casualties except a reference to one person who was wounded.

TWO WARSHIPS REPORTED SUNK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Evening Standard's Hartlepool correspondent says of the German raid on the English coast:

"Two German warships are believed to have been sunk. The captain of a ketch lying off Saltburn says he saw three German ships engaged. One of these was blown up, another bolted and the third was still fighting."

GERMAN FLEET DROPS MINES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 17, 4:41 a.m.—A dispatch to the Daily Express from Hartlepool says:

"As the German fleet steamed out to sea they dropped mines to prevent any ships from following in their wake."

Strategic.

GERMAN RAID FORERUNNER OF A DASH FOR OPEN SEA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The raid of the German warships on the English coast was not unexpected here. It had been predicted by several close observers of the naval events and possibilities of the war who have had information from inside official sources.

These men believe that the bombardment of today will be followed by a general dash of the German warships into the Atlantic from the naval base at Heligoland, where they have been bottled up by the British ships since the beginning of the war.

It has been known that the Kaiser and his advisers have been planning one great coup for the German navy. The bombardment of today is looked upon only as a demonstration made particularly for the purpose of calling off the watch of the British warships from the ships that have been held at Wilhelmshaven and the Kiel canal. With a heavy force of British ships drawn down to the Yorkshire coast by the raid of today it was believed that the way would be left open for a great German fleet—virtually all the big ships at the naval base—to make a dash for the open sea.

For the Germans this means, in all probability, that they are going out to their death. They are determined, however, to destroy whatever they can of British commerce and to work whatever destruction they can to British coast cities before they are themselves smashed by the British ships. Their aim will be to do as much damage as possible to British commerce and then if outnumbered seek haven in some neutral port.

The Unexpected.

HARTLEPOOL BOMBARDED FOR TWENTY-FIVE MINUTES

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HARTLEPOOL (Eng.) Dec. 16 (via London, 11:30 p.m.)—The two towns known as the Hartlepools were subjected to a twenty-five-minutes' bombardment this morning from the German warships, estimated to aggregate from two to six, but which could only be dimly seen through the thick fog which enveloped the sea.

Soon after the first German shell fell in the town the forts at the mouth of the river replied and while they apparently did no damage to the raiders, they succeeded in driving them off.

Pieces of shell were found all over Hartlepool and West Hartlepool. As the ships were wheeling around and firing broadsides, every section suffered.

The number of persons killed is not yet definitely known, but it is believed to be large. Many more persons were injured than killed, however. All the fatalities were among non-combatants. Women and children suffered equally with the men.

The bombardment coming early in the morning and without the slightest warning prevented the people seeking safety and they flocked into the streets.

Interpretation.

"THE PROPER MEANING OF RUTHLESS WAR."

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 17, 12:55 a.m.—The Times, discussing what it terms indiscriminate shelling of unfortified towns, refers to the statement of Count Ernst von Revntlow, the German naval expert, that "we must see clearly that in order to fight with success we must fight ruthlessly and in the proper meaning of that word," and adds: "The deeds wrought at Whitby and Scarborough represent 'the proper meaning' as interpreted in Germany.

"We shall not discuss the prescriptions of international law because the Germans jettisoned alike all principles of international law and all dictates of society. The German navy and the German nation will learn the full significance of the Indian saying, 'The patience of the British is as long as the summer day, but their arm is as long as the winter night.'

"The raid had no genuine military or naval significance and its objects could only be to relieve the prevalent depression in Germany and create panic in these islands. The second object has entirely failed. The raid was received with complete calmness.

"We fully expect the German ships to come again until they come once too often."

The Times adds that the purpose of the royal navy is to engage and destroy the enemy's ships and that this purpose will be inflexibly pursued, despite all subtle temptations to abandon it for other objects.

FEAR ATTACK ON TYNEMOUTH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—The Newcastle Evening Chronicle according to a dispatch reaching London this afternoon says there is a probability of a hostile attack on Tynemouth, in Northumberland, at the mouth of the Tyne and about twenty-five miles north of Hartlepool.

The Mayor of Tynemouth, a popular resort in the north with a population of about 25,000 people, has issued a notice declaring that the local Emergency Committee has been advised by the military authorities to have the gas in Tynemouth turned off at once for military reasons.

The civil population have been advised to remain indoors, but if necessary to leave their dwellings they are advised to go in the direction of Newcastle, eight miles away.

THOUGHT WARSHIP WAS PRACTICING.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HULL, Dec. 16 (via London)—James Harvey Scott of Scarborough, who arrived here after the bombardment of the seaside resort by the Germans, said:

"I could not believe it was a real attack; I thought the battleships were practicing. Then I saw a shell fall on the roof of a house, which caught fire and there was a cloud of smoke.

"I also noticed that the Balmford Hotel, right in the center of the town was struck. As I walked to the station, shells were bursting overhead and at the station shells fell into the yard. A porter there picked up a fragment.

"A man, accompanied by his wife and children, came running into the station, saying that the roof of their house had been damaged by shells.

"The people were greatly excited. They rushed from their houses at the first sound of firing, and women and children were seen running through the streets in their night clothes."

Another eyewitness from Scarborough said that a large amount of debris was scattered about the square near the railway station by the shell fire. Roofs of houses were torn away, windows were broken and holes were bored entirely through some houses. The huge chimney at the brick yards was knocked down.

Several shells were fired at the wireless station, with what result is unknown.

It is reported here that an attack by warships had been contemplated and that consequently the authorities were in readiness to meet it. The coast defenses had been thoroughly prepared and all the units of infantry and artillery were at their stations and in the trenches.

Up to 3 o'clock this afternoon no reliable estimates of the casualties were available.

BERLIN'S REPORT ON BOMBARDMENT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 17 (via Amsterdam and London)—An official announcement, issued here, says:

"Parts of our high seas fleet made an attack on the English east coast and bombarded on the 16th early in the morning, both fortified and coast places at Scarborough and Hartlepool.

"Regarding its further course of action, no information can yet be given."

Year End Elimination
A JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE IN DECEMBER

Hale's
341-343-345 SO. BROADWAY

9x12 Ft. Brussels Rugs
Well Worth $16.75
$10.95

Rugs of this quality sell regularly for $16.75. We will place a limited number of them on special sale today for $10.95 each. Seamless Brussels rugs in floral and Oriental designs. Pleasing, soft and harmonious in coloring. 9x12 foot size. Rugs that you can depend upon to give excellent service.

60c "Sunfast" Materials 35c

These fabrics make beautiful draperies for all kinds. Plain and open work designs in all colors. 36 inches wide. 60c regularly. The sale price today is just 35c a yard.

Lace Curtains *$1.00*
Actual $1.50 and $2 values, pr

Hundreds of pairs of beautiful lace curtains in white or cream color and the darker Egyptian and Arabian shades. Measure 2¼ to 3½ yards long. Handsome designs. None worth less than $1.50 and a good proportion are actually worth $2.00. Sale price $1.00

12½c Nainsook and Cambric 8½c

White nainsooks and cambrics with a smooth fine finish. 36 inches wide. Regularly these grades sell for 12½c a yard. As a special for today we offer them at 8½c yard or 12 yards for $1.00

25c Crepe Plisse 10c

White Windsor plisse crepes, fine quality, pebble weave. 3 to 7-yard lengths of the 25c grade, on sale at 10c a yard.

25c Imp. Madras 15c

Imported madras, all white or with fancy colored stripes. An extra fine quality that is worth 35c, on special sale for 15c a yard.

15c Outing Flannel 11½c

Double napped outing flannel that is extra wide and extra heavy. 32 inches wide. Soft and white. 15c grade, on sale for 11½c a yard.

20c White Outing 15c

This is 36 inches wide. Pure white outing flannel, extra heavy and double napped. The regular 20c grade, on sale for 15c a yard.

15c Canton Flannel 12½c

Heavy twilled double fleeced bleached Canton flannel, 27 inches wide. 15c a yard regularly, special today—12½c a yard.

12½c Fleeces 7½c

Fleeced Calico for warm housedresses and kimonos. Neat patterns. Worth 12½c regularly, the sale price today is 7½c a yard.

15c Galatea 10c Yard

Galateas in stripes, checks and plain colors, light and dark shades. Medium weight. 15c grade—10c.

15c Percales 10c Yard

Manchester percales of finest quality. Checks, stripes and plaids. 36 inches wide. 15c grade for 10c a yard.

15c Calico 12½c Yard

Extra heavy Dutch blue calicoes with small dots, fast color. 36 inches wide. 15c value—12½c a yard.

50c Bath Robing 35c

Imported elderdown bath robings that launder beautifully. Patterns for men's and women's bath robes.

VICENTE TERRACE. Pico Boulevard will soon be started. It meets the Ocean at Vicente Terrace. Buy now and double your money. SCHADER-WELLS, Sole Agents, 1808 Ocean Avenue, Santa Monica, Cal.

GOODYEAR'S 324 S. BROADWAY
Rubber Boots, Rubber Coats. If it is made of rubber we have it.

Removal Sale

We remove Dec. 15 to 743 South Broadway, Fifth Floor. Extraordinary inducements now offered, to clear our shelves. A. GREENE & SON, 321-23 West Seventh St. Exclusive Ladies' Tailors.

Rovers.

FORTY OF EMDEN'S CREW RAID PACIFIC COMMERCE.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

MANILA (P. I.) Dec. 16.—Forty men of the crew of the German cruiser Emden, who were left on Cocos Island when the Australian cruiser Sydney discovered the Emden and forced her to run ashore some time ago, have captured a collier, mounted two Maxims on her, and are now raiding commerce in the Pacific, according to a report received here.

The report came through the officers of the British steamer Malacca, which has arrived at Jolo. The report has not been officially confirmed. The men of the Emden had gone ashore on Cocos Island to dismantle the wireless, and fled, but were unable to rejoin their ship when the Sydney put in an appearance. The German party, which is commanded by Lieut. Von Muecke, left Cocos Island with a commandeered schooner and plenty of provisions, together with their own armed launch and two boats, according to the report. Where they captured the collier is not stated.

The Malacca reports that she steamed to Jolo without showing lights at night.

BOMBARDMENT OF ODESSA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The bombardment of the Russian port of Odessa, on the Black Sea, by a Turkish warship, on October 29, was described today by Mrs. S. I. Abrahams of Brooklyn, a passenger on the steamship Transylvania.

Mrs. Abrahams said that the warship came into the harbor early in the morning, and after sinking a small Russian gunboat, fired shells into the city for about two hours. The warship then withdrew. The number of persons killed was said to be about 130; twice as many were wounded. Mrs. Abrahams, with others, left for Archangel.

You Will Find It Easy To Shop Here

There is no sense of confusion in this shop even now, when we are very busy. The salespeople are low-voiced, attentive, and alert. It is easy to find exactly what you are seeking here, even in the midst of the Christmas rush.

The shop itself is full of Christmas suggestions. Windows and cases display a multitude of things that everyone wants—in the quality that everyone is proud of.

A man finds the business of buying a gift for a woman simplified here, because the beauty and utility of these gifts are apparent to his masculine eyes. A woman finds this a most convenient place to shop for a man, because she is sure of finding here what will please his very practical tastes.

Let the following lists help you out of your Christmas perplexity. When you don't know what to give, come here—and remember that whatever you buy at this shop you will be proud of.

For Women

Desk Pieces in brass and nickel	$ .30 to $ 7.00
Cases for Wrist Watches	$ .50 to $ 1.00
Drinking Cups in Cases	$ .50 to $ 10.00
Card Cases	$ 1.00 to $ 5.00
Writing Cases	$ 1.30 to $ 9.50
Jewel Boxes and Cases	$ 1.50 to $ 16.00
Music Rolls	$ 1.50 to $ 15.00
Scissors and Paper Cutter Sets	$ 2.75 to $ 8.50
Traveling Clocks	$ 2.00 to $ 20.00
Handbags	$ 2.00 to $ 30.00
Pandora Bags	$ 5.00 to $ 20.00
Envelope Vanity Cases	$ 4.75 to $ 8.25
Matinee Bags	$ 8.50 to $ 12.50
Manicure Cases	$ 4.00 to $ 15.00
Limousine Cases	$12.50 to $ 40.00
Traveling Bags	$ 5.00 to $ 32.50
Fitted Traveling Bags	$25.00 to $ 50.00
Suit Cases	$ 7.50 to $ 40.00
Fitted Suit Cases	$30.00 to $ 75.00
Indestructo Steamer Trunks	$20.00 to $ 36.50
Indestructo Dress Trunks	$36.50 to $105.00
Indestructo Wardrobe Trunks	$33.00 to $ 85.00

For Men

Coin Purses	$ .50 to $ 1.00
Desk Sets and Pieces in nickel and brass	$ .30 to $ 7.00
Ink Wells	$ 2.00 to $ 10.00
Drinking Cups in Cases	$ .50 to $ 10.00
Bill Cases	$ 1.00 to $ 8.00
Three-Fold Bill Books	$ 2.00 to $ 10.00
Tie, Hose and Handkerchief Cases	$ 1.00 to $ 30.00
Tie and Brush Hangers	$ 1.75 to $ 8.50
Photograph Frames	$ 2.50 to $ 9.50
Military Brush Sets	$ 2.50 to $ 12.00
Dressing Cases	$ 4.50 to $ 30.00
Traveling Bags	$ 5.00 to $45.00
Fitted Traveling Bags	$20.00 to $ 65.00
Suit Cases	$ 7.50 to $ 40.00
Fitted Suit Cases	$30.00 to $ 75.00
Indestructo Steamer Trunks	$30.00 to $ 36.50
Indestructo Dress Trunks	$36.50 to $105.00
Indestructo Wardrobe Trunks	$33.00 to $ 85.00

INDESTRUCTO
LUGGAGE SHOP
224 West Fifth Street
Phones: A4403 Main 4403

This store is open every evening now, and will be until Christmas.

GIVE USEFUL PRESENTS IN ELECTRICAL THINGS FROM "THE NEWBERY SHOP"

MAKE your friends, and their entire household, happy this Christmas with beautiful gift pieces, make their lives more comfortable and cheerful. You will find in our beautiful showrooms every conceivable electrical device to be used in the modern home. These appliances are the finest to be had, substantial, moderate in price and much prized by everyone.

Twin Glower Radiators, $6.
Chafing Dishes, $10.50 to $25.
Radiant Toasters, $3.50.
Copeman Toasters automatic, $4.
Household Irons, $3.50 to $5.
Portable Lamps, $5 up to $60.
Boudoir Lamps, $5.50 to $25.
Portable Floor Lamps.
Percolators, $5 to $16.50.
Shaving Mirrors, $2.75.
Disc Stoves, $4.50 to $7.
Grills, $4 to $7.
Vibrators, $11.50 to $45.
Heating Pads, $3 to $5.25.
Pocket Flashlights, $1.00.
Water Heaters, $3.50 to $7.50.

HEED THE WARNING OF THE FIRE UNDERWRITERS
USE OUR EVEREADY CHRISTMAS TREE OUTFITS.

Don't merely write "Electrical Gifts," but specify Newbery Gifts—it identifies them.

IF IT'S ELECTRICAL, WE HAVE IT.

F. E. NEWBERY ELECTRIC CO
A 4288 724-26 S. OLIVE ST. Main 4288

Edwin Walde
Boston Millinery
347-349 Broadway

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The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 8 o'clock Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Lets," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m., Saturday. Ads received after closing hours for each division will be inserted under heading, "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 85,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200, Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephone advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times in payment for "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

The Times constantly endeavors to render its patrons satisfactory and efficient service, and it will appreciate complaints of, and make a proper adjustment for any material errors it may make in printed announcements.

"Be quick to kick if things seem wrong,
But kick to us, and make it strong."

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of persons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements printed in The Times, send communications to this newspaper, and have "liner" and other advertisements inserted. Broome letter boxes have been placed in various downtown buildings for the purpose indicated.

Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions, and heading under which it is desired that the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

BRYSON BLDG., 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG., 424 S. Broadway. (Lobby near elevator.)
DUMILLER BLDG., 429 S. Broadway. (Near elevator in lobby.)
COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 313 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Near elevator in lobby.)
GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
CROSS BLDG., SIXTH AND SPRING STS. (Near elevator in lobby.)
HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (In lobby near elevator.)
H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, Fourth-street lobby.)
I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
HIBERNIAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
L. A. INV. BLDG., 756 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby rear of elevator.)
LANKERSHIM BLDG., 126 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)
LAUGHLIN BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9TH, SPRING AND MAIN. (On elevator shaft No. 4.)
MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Beneath U. S. Mail Box.)
O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (Near elevator in Lobby.)
PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 606-10 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. Main st. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

The location of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

NATIONAL CIRCULATION—

THE MIDWINTER NUMBER OF THE TIMES. Better than ever, out January 1, 1915, presents splendid opportunities to discerning classified advertisers. Many future residents depend on the accurate information it contains and invest in the many choice properties offered in its classified advertising columns. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1914. Rates for display advertising furnished on application.

REDIPHONES—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF these handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books valued at 75 cents each. The coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 or Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "REDIPHONE" only will be delivered to each purchaser.

TO SALE — CHEAP, 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and make good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR, MOLES, WARTS, PERMAnently removed. Dr. Bush's painless, rapid, 10-needle method. WILBUR FEATHER BEAUTY PARLORS, 621 Broadway. Consultation invited before having your work done. Satisfaction guaranteed. San Francisco office 133 Geary st., suite 722-23. Chicago office Marshall Field Annex, 1009. MRS. STIVER ELECTROLYSIS CO.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—THIS IS TO CERtify that Robert Emmet Lucas, formerly Supreme Field Superintendent, is no longer associated or connected with the Supreme Lodge of the Loyal Order of Bohemians. Supreme Lodge of the Loyal Order of Bohemians. H. E. DUSENBURY, Supreme Secretary.

$10 REWARD AND NO QUESTIONS ASKED for return of green covered shorthand note book and red covered memorandum book, the latter with owner's name and address inside. Kindly return to BROSEMER, Hotel Antlers. Bdwy. 7176. A4663.

SHAMPOO, 25c; HAIRDRESSING, MANICURING, facial massage, scalp treatment, 15c each. Fine hair goods and toilet preparations. MACDONALD'S, 204 Mercantile place.

PREPARED ROOFING AND WATERPROOFED paper from $1 per roll up; free city delivery; any quantity. WEAVER ROOF CO., Mfrs., 339 E. Second. Broadway 784, Home F2855.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS—
For the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday.

CESSPOOLS CLEANED IN ONE OR TWO LOADS by the LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO. Phones: 59146 or Wilshire 593.

FINE BABY BOY FOR ADOPTION, 4 MONTHS old. Phone VERMONT 3282.

FOR QUICK ACTION, DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—
MRS. MASSON,
The noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOger and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles. Largest practice; highest grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 821 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR Chichesters Pills, the Diamond Brand. For 25 years known as best, safest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichesters Diamond Brand Pills are sold everywhere.

PERSONAL—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PATRONS of The Times are requested to submit copy for advertisements in the Sunday issue as early as possible.

PERSONAL—WANTED AT ONCE, JOHN A. COLE, John Strohman, on very important business resulting in considerable money to each of them. 827 SOUTH HILL.

PERSONAL — ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANER FOR rent, $1 daily; free delivery. SOUTH 5856, HOME 27191.

PERSONAL—MME JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic, readings, 50c. 822 E. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL — MME. OLA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC, best 50c readings in city. 246½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL—
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PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—AN ACTIVE CAMPAIGN FOR LOCAL and out-of-town business can be made at a small cost through the classified columns of the splendid Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 1, 1915. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1914. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

PERSONAL — FOR SALE CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL moving picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and make good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

PERSONAL—
HENLEY,
LEADING SUCCESSFUL PSYCHIC.
READINGS DAILY.
317 W. THIRD ST., NEAR HILL.

PERSONAL—YOU MAN OF AFFAIRS, WITH CAPital, brains and plans, do you need a confidential man with extensive business experience to help make them effective? Bank reference. Am not looking for investment opportunity. Address M, box 285, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—WANTED A GOOD FAMILY TO adopt girl baby 15 months old, of good family. Parties must be of good standing. Apply 443 S. CROCKER ST. C. F. Scott.

PERSONAL—JOHN SLATER, CIRCLE FRIDAY evening 8 sharp. Burbank Hall, 542 S. MAIN, auspices Peoples Spiritualist Church.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

CLOSING OUT—
FINE FURS AT HALF PRICE.
709 SOUTH BROADWAY.
COME EARLY

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PULVERIZED SHEEP FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS and flowers. GEORGE SCHORNICK, 115 N. Mott. 41536; Boyle 1062.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—
Couple for ranch work near Saugus. Man to be experienced in all kinds of ranch work; wife to do cooking. Prefer couple without children. Wages $50 to $50.
Apply immediately.
MUNICIPAL FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
121 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

WANTED — AMERICAN CITIZEN, OVER 18, NOT addicted to liquor or cigarettes, honest, so he can be trusted with money and to work for employer's interest when out of sight; one who gets to bed early enough so he won't stand around yawning and rubbing his eyes; must be manly; of good ordinary common-sense; not a saint; just a willing, ready-at-all-times, helpful sort of fellow to serve papers, make collections, etc. State age, salary expected, former occupation, references, if any, and phone. Address L, box 116, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FINANCIAL CONDITIONS IMPROVING. Secure excellent permanent position under civil service. City and county examinations have been called. Investigate immediately for successful intelligent coaching, any department. Special course for patrolman, $5. (Read Instruction advertisement) or call or write CIVIL SERVICE PREPARATORY SCHOOL, 1958 Oak st.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER UNDER 30, GOOD PENman; Remington typist, under 24, $45; Elliott Fisher biller, $40; young stenographer and clerk, $35; young stenographer and office assistant, $40, $50; floor man, bank, $75; window trimmer, dry goods experience, $100; manager for repair department, large realty company, $100, $150. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, 620 Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—RAILWAY CLERKS FOR CALIFORNIA. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION COMING. Many appointments will be made. Salary $900 first year; expenses allowed; promotion rapid if capable. Enter at once for successful coaching. MISS WILSON, 601 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. See Ins. Adv. Evenings 7 to 9.

WANTED—A MAN THOROUGHLY WELL ACquainted with work around wet wash laundry. Must be able to handle any piece of machinery in such establishment. Answer stating wages desired and length of experience, also phone number. Address L, box 107, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LIVE MAN TO SHOW PROPERTY. PREvious experience unnecessary; can make $100 to $300 per month; good chance for a sober, steady man to become permanently identified with a large company. Call at once. 300-307 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., corner Spring and Fourth.

WANTED— SEVERAL CLERKS.
Or young men over 18 to prepare for Los Angeles POSTOFFICE CLERKS AND LETTER CARRIERS; good beginning salary now and sure promotion. For full information and successful coaching, see MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Ins. adv.)

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE OF automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without expense, on contract work. Actual contract work, not school toys. Only few months required. THE CONTRACTING TRADE SCHOOL, 224 Aliso st. See ad., "Learn Trades" column.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN IMMEDIATELY TO PREPARE FOR POSITION IN INTERNAL REVENUE AND CUSTOMHOUSE SERVICE. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION CALLED. FOR SUCCESSFUL COACHING SEE MISS WILSON, 601 CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK BLDG. SEE INS. ADV. EVENINGS 7 TO 9.

WANTED — STRAIGHTFORWARD, ENERGETIC man, well and favorably known in Los Angeles and surrounding towns, can make profitable connection with local fertilizer and oil operation. Reference required. Address X, box 583, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG BOY FOR INSIDE OFfice work, 14 to 16 years old, $25 a month. Good chance for advancement. CALIFORNIA TEACHERS' BUREAU, 444 I. W. Hellman Bldg. See Mr. Kirby.

WANTED—FEW BRIGHT YOUNG MEN TO COACH for RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, this State, beginning salary about $75 per month; fine promotion. For full information and successful coaching, see IMMEDIATELY, MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Ins. adv.)

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED MAN OF PLEASING ADdress, neat and clean appearance, to do light outdoor work. No canvassing. No experience necessary. Salary and commission. Permanent employment. Address M, box 277, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MEN TO OPERATE ELEVATOR. WE teach electric and hydraulic, guarantee city license, give practical experience on elevator. We help secure positions. See Instruction adv. 602 PANTAGES THEATER BLDG.

WANTED—ADVERTISING SOLICITOR, TO WORK on commission on national publication. Give telephone number or address in order to get quick action. Address Z, box 415, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—AUTOMOBILE AND GARAGE MEN. Several good live agents to sell DIRECTION INDICATORS for automobiles. Used instead of throwing out the hand when turning a corner. JEVNE PROS., 211 West Pico.

WANTED—SALESMEN. WE NEED A FEW MORE good salesmen to help us with a large subdivision. We offer the best property, prices and commissions in Los Angeles. Special inducements to men with machines. CURMETT, 934 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD-paying trade, automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. See our adv. under "Learn Trades" NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh.

WANTED—WE OFFER RELIABLE STUDENTS COMplete stenographic course; pay tuition after graduated and earning. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 900 Main st. See "Instruction" ad.

WANTED — STOCK SALESMEN FOR SOUTHERN California; excellent proposition. For full information or personal interview call or address E. O. BAKER, Manager, 424 Cons. Realty Bldg.

WANTED — TWO A1 VACUUM CLEANER SALESmen; want men used to big profits; best machine on the market. C. F. ADAMS CO., 806 E. Seventh street.

WANTED—BE INDEPENDENT! LEARN THE BARber trade; reasonable terms; best place; highest wages while learning. THE NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 129 E. Second st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED ADVERTISING WRITER and solicitor, either sex, with $150 (secured) for publicity and press bureau with wide field. Address VH, box 48, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MACHINE TOOL SHARPENER AND blacksmith for stone quarry, north, $3 day. Call early. SWEDISH & GERMAN BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—2 FIRST-CLASS MILLWRIGHTS FOR Arizona, $4.25 day. MURRAY & READY, 110 East 2nd st.

WANTED — BUSINESS MANAGER, BAPTIST Church, 1430 MYRA AVE., Los Angeles. Phone Hollywood 2994.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOY OR MAN TO OPerate power sewing machine. Apply E. M. SMITH CO., 612 Clarence st.

WANTED—BRIGHT BOY WITH BICYCLE. APPLY Thursday between 12 and 1. 729 HIGGINS BLDG.

WANTED—MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMAN, MAchine and structural work, give experience. Address A, box 412, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS DRAUGHTSMAN. APPLY IRVING J. GILL, 913 S. Figueroa st.

WANTED—AN ELECTRICIAN FOR REPAIR work. Apply 112 W. SIXTH ST., second story.

WANTED—MEN TO SELL GAS HEATER, SALARY and commission, report 7 a.m. 910 S. HILL.

WANTED—GAS FITTER AND STEAM FITTER. 133 W. 21ST ST.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—
EXCURSION MANAGERS.
In the SUBDIVISION business, we believe we have a proposition that is unexcelled for you to connect with at once in conjunction with the big plans of the HARRY H. CULVER COMPANY, to put on a big selling campaign at GREATER CULVER CITY for the big EXPOSITION YEAR now at hand. Free excursions, instructive sales lecture given at townsite, big advertising campaign, and every assistance given to facilitate large volume of business known in this line. Call any day from 9 to 4 and let us explain.
C. L. EDWARDS, Sales Manager.
C. K. NICKERSON and A. G. GOODWIN, Sales Agents.
Home Phone A1145. 511-12 Hollingsworth Bldg. Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—LIVE, CLEAN-CUT MAN WITH ABILITY TO SHOW REAL ESTATE. WE HAVE THE CLIENTS WAITING. ALSO THE PROPERTY TO SELL. WE DESIRE A MAN WITH AUTOMOBILE FOR WHICH WE WILL MAKE MONTHLY ALLOWANCE OR IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A MACHINE WE WILL MAKE MONTHLY ALLOWANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF HIRING. THIS IS CERTAINLY A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR A MAN WHO DESIRES TO MAKE GOOD. SEE MR. REYNOLDS AT ONCE. ROBERT MARSH & CO., 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. 10175. MAIN 5045.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER WHO CAN ASSIST ON books for California mine, salary $100 start; experienced department store wrapper; office boy, clean cut, with wheel, $30; open now. Apply PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., 608 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill sts.

WANTED — TWO YOUNG STENOGRAPHERS FOR large business houses in Los Angeles. Should be between ages of 19 and 24. These are permanent positions with the best of opportunities for bright young men, $45 to $50. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.
Investment Required.)

WANTED—HONEST, TRUSTWORTHY MAN WHO can invest $250 with his services to help wait on customers, etc., in old-established business. Will pay $130 per month. No experience necessary. Duties easily learned. Money fully secured. Particulars, call 355 S. BROADWAY, room 412.

WANTED—LADY PARTNER TO TAKE HALF INterest in dressmaking establishment, one who is capable of attending to selling end of business. Have fine location in the heart of Broadway, cheap rent. Must have some money. Call 729 S. BROADWAY, fourth floor, ask for Mr. Haas.

WANTED—PARTY WITH SOME CAPITAL TO INvest for 60 days, interest bought is permanent; travel over world. Good salary, large profits. Wide publicity in newspapers every day, assured by fair officials. If you mean business phone Broadway 7016, Home 556827. MR. PERRY.

WANTED — HAVE A BUSINESS PROPOSITION that is a monopoly in its line. Now selling plan and a money-getter. Desire some one to assist me. Good salary. Small investment required. Address Z, box 413, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—AN HONEST, SOBER MAN TO HELP manage an old-established, money-making business. No experience necessary. Half of the time outside work. Will pay $140 per month. $250 cash required, fully secured. For particulars, rooms 411-412. 129 W. THIRD ST.

WANTED—AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY IS offered a young lady with fair knowledge of stenography and typewriting to join advertiser in a most interesting and remunerative business. Some capital required. Address G, box 170, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE TO TAKE CHARGE alfalfa ranch; one who understands California ranching and can invest $1000 for one year; money secured and reasonable interest paid. Address M, box 279, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—USE YOUR SPARE TIME TO BUILD UP a mail order business of your own. We help you start for a share in profits. 27 opportunities. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO WORK ALFALFA ranch. Must have money. See NORDIN, 318 Exchange Bldg.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—
Delicatessen clerk, $10; two lunch counter waitresses, country, free fare, $30, room and board; two lunch waitresses, no Sunday, city, $4; cook and housekeeper for 5 girls, beach, $35 and found; girl for general housework, no washing, $30; housekeeper, ranch, will take woman with child, $30. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 East 2nd.

WANTED—CHORUS GIRLS. IF YOU HAVE ANY talent see me between 10 and 12 this morning. Good salary, steady position. See MONTGOMERY, Bell Theater, 314 East 5th.

WANTED—A LADY OF REFINEMENT AND good appearance, who is experienced in running first-class apartment-houses, to take charge of an apartment in the Wilshire district. Must furnish references and meet the above requirements. Address Z, box 451, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SALESLADIES EXPERIENCED IN hosiery, jewelry, leathergoods, ribbons and infants' wear. Also cashiers and wrappers. Positions in good stores; need two A1 cashiers who can handle heavy work, $10. Apply PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., 608 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—LOCAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY requires three bright saleswomen who will work as directed. Dignified and high-class work, requiring character and force, which pays well. Commissions paid as earned. Call 9 to 11 Thursday and Friday. 704 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

WANTED—$10 FOUR EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 206 East 2nd. Experienced laundry marker, $40 month and found; housekeeper, $30 month and found; 2 lunch waitresses at $18 month; 2 at $4 a week; one at $7 a week.

WANTED—FIRST TWO MONTHS AT HALF RATE if you enroll now. Book-keeping, Gregg or Pitman shorthand, English branches, telegraphy. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 900 Main st. See Instruction ad.

WANTED—BRIGHT GIRLS AND WOMEN. LEARN beauty culture; best time to begin; special rates now. MacDonald's system is the best. MACDONALD'S COLLEGE, 204 Mercantile place. (See adv. Instruction Course.)

WANTED—COOK, RANCH, 12 PEOPLE, $40; family cook, $40; cook and downstairs, $35; upstairs and nurse, $35; housegirl, 2 in family, $40; many others, $30 to $40. Call early. SWEDISH & GERMAN BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—GOOD EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR GENeral housework where there are children. References required. Good wages and good home to right party. Call 1723 HUNTINGTON DRIVE, South Pasadena. Oak Knoll car, Milan stop.

WANTED—LADY OF PLEASING PERSONALITY and accustomed to meet the public, for light outdoors work. No previous experience necessary. Salary and commission. Steady employment. Address L, box 226, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BON-BON DIPPER. PIG'N WHISTLE, 712 S. Broadway.

WANTED—IF YOU ARE EXPERIENCED WE WILL pay liberal commission to solicit for our tailor made corsets. RANDALL CORSET SHOP, 714 S. Grand.

WANTED—A GOOD ENERGETIC SALESLADY, steady position open to one capable of making sales. Salary guaranteed. 605 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG., Los Angeles.

WANTED—OFFICE ASSISTANT, PREFERABLY EXperienced in laundry detail; age 20-25; must be good penman and accurate at figures. Apply EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 301 Fay Bldg.

WANTED—LADIES LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, hair manufacturing. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile place, corner Broadway. See Learn Trades Adv.

WANTED—THREE LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY culture and hairdressing, free of charge; good opening; LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile Place. Mrs. Harris. See adv. To Learn Trades.

WANTED—
SALESLADIES ON
FINE FURS AT HALF PRICES.
709 SOUTH BROADWAY.

WANTED—WHITE WOMAN TO COOK AND DO light housework for three people, go home nights, near Sunset blvd. and Vermont ave. PHONE 59168 after 9 a.m.

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE GIRL, NOT UNDER 20 or over 35 years, for general housework and good plain cook; $30 per month. 445 S. KINGSLEY DRIVE.

WANTED—TWO NEAT LADIES FOR MOTION PICture out of town, must pay own transportation. Phone A3616 between 9 and 10 a.m.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL OR AN ELDERLY woman for housework, small salary exchange for good home. 1952 E. FIRST ST. Boyle 557.

WANTED—CAPABLE GIRL TO HELP WITH housework and care of children. Good wages. 1138 W. 53D ST.

WANTED—SELLING HANDS ON LADIES' CLOAKS and suits. Apply A. W. HACKEL, 5th floor, 347 S. Spring.

WANTED—SALESLADIES FOR LOS ANGELES AND surrounding towns, $3 to $5 per day easily earned. 309 HOMER LAUGHLIN BLDG.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework; 2 adults and 1 child; good cook; references. 442 W. 50TH ST.

WANTED — LADIES TO DO NEEDLEWORK BY piece or dozen. Call from 1 till 4. 123 W. ADAMS, near Main.

WANTED—GOOD, STRONG, RELIABLE WHITE girl for general housework in small family. References required. PHONE 71740 Thursday only.

WANTED—WHITE GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEwork, wages $15. HOLLYWOOD 1080—568301.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAID FOR GENERAL housework; 101 D ST., OXNARD. Wages $30.

WANTED—SALESLADY AT 609 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—
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Experienced nurse and upstairs girl, $35.
Good cook, no washing, 3 adults, $35.
General housework, Swede, 2 adults, 4 children, $35.
General housework, French, 3 adults; must speak French, $35.
General housework, 2 adults, no washing; one who can go ahead; young; $35.
General housework, 2 adults, no washing, $25.
General housework, 2 adults, 2 children; must be good cook; $25.
Apply early.
MUNICIPAL FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
121 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, CHORES AND WIFE mixed work, country hotel, $50 to $60; man and wife, chauffeur and cook, $60; man and wife, gardener and cook, $50 to $60. SWEDISH & GERMAN BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.
(To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — LEARN AUTO REPAIRING, DRIVING and machine work, day and evening courses; old-est reliable school; overhauling of all makes of cars under supervision of expert instructors; electricity and surveying taught by practical methods; place to work for room and board after school hours, assist graduates to positions. Call and be convinced. Catalogue free. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh. Established 1905.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE of automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without expense. In few months.
THE CONTRACTING TRADE SCHOOL,
224 Aliso st.

WANTED — LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing, students wanted. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 228 Mercantile Place. MRS. HARRIS.

WANTED—BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS BIG. LEARN right. "FLORENTINE," World's Largest, 227 Mercantile place.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.
(Instruction Course.)

WANTED—
MOTION-PICTURE ACTING.
Taught by experienced director. No class instruction. PHOTOPLAY STUDIO, 5624 Virginia ave., Hollywood. Home 59162.

WANTED—FASHION DESIGNING BY CORRESPONDence courses, Parisian technical system. Creations for the trade and recreation. Individuality in the conception of designing. BROWN, Designer, 1290 Sutter st., San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED—GOVERNMENT JOBS, OPEN TO MEN and women, $65 to $150 month. Write immediately for position list. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 13W, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT IN 20 lessons. Write for free book. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Bldg. Main 2176, F6793.

WANTED — WOMEN, BECOME GOVERNMENT clerks; $70 month; Los Angeles examination schedule free. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 787, W. Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—PATROLMAN CIVIL SERVICE EXAMination called. Special, successful, intelligent coaching for $5. CIVIL SERVICE PREPARATORY SCHOOL, 1958 Oak st.

WANTED—A PROFESSIONAL MAN WILL TAKE A limited number of students and prepare them to earn $250 a month. Address X, box 500, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerk; salary starting $75 month. MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHY, BOOK-KEEPING, ENGlish branches, telegraphy, rate $10. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth.

WANTED—LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE. Special offer now. MACDONALD'S, 204 Mercantile place.

WANTED—WE TEACH MOTION PICTURE MAchine operation; elevator operation. 602 PANTAGES THEATER BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks. MISS WILSON, 601 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMEN—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—SALESMAN OR SOLICITORS WHO DEsire make $10 daily and willing to work on road or city. Come, see demonstration best automobile accessory on market. Limited territory left. DOUBLE MILEAGE MFG. CO., 107½ N. Main st.

WANTED—FIVE EXPERIENCED SALESMEN TO introduce and demonstrate an A-1 article. Must be hustlers. Commission only. Apply 223 SECURITY BLDG.

WANTED—SOLICITOR, LADY OR GENTLEMAN, household commodity, ready seller. Good commission. 556430.

WANTED—10 CANVASSERS; I HAVE THE BEST proposition in the market to offer. 141 W. 24TH ST., after 12 noon.

WANTED—CALENDAR SALESMAN, EXPERIENCed; exclusive line. Apply WOOD & JONES, Pasadena.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—SITUATION AS COLLECTOR BY MARried man, cash deposit in bank for security and local references. Address L, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY A RELIABLE STUDENT, WORK outside school hours for room and board or small wages. Phone Manager, LOS ANGELES BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main 3236, 2196. F6700.

WANTED — POSITION, EXPERIENCED CHAUFfeur, Japanese, careful driver and good mechanic. Former employer recommends. GEORGE, Home 12947.

WANTED—AM A FIRST-CLASS BOOK-KEEPER, not afraid of hard work, rapid on the typewriter, reasonable salary, local references. Address X, box 420, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — BY THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED book-keeper, stenographer and all-around office man, steady position. High credentials. Address L, box 83, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GAS ENGINEER, 8 YEARS' EXPERIence, would take charge of lighting or power plant; good automobile repair man; excellent references. PHONE HOLLYWOOD 2068.

WANTED—WILL ANTONE HELP YOUNG MAN, URGENTLY, POSITION, HOUSEMAN, ASSIST BUTLER; WILLING TO DO ANYTHING; REFS. ADDRESS M, BOX 278, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — A JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, chauffeur, wants position in small family, city or country. F. TAMI, 354 E. Fourth st. Phone F4228.

WANTED—WORK IN MEAT MARKET BY MAN 25 years old. Experienced solicitor and delivery man, can cut all plain orders, make sausage. Address L, box 139, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION TO LEARN TO DRIVE AND care for car for board and room and laundry. Will work until you are compensated. Address A, box 417, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, FIRST-CLASS SALESMAN, solicitor, collector and delivery man has delivery car ready for work. WEST 165.

WANTED—NICE EXPERIENCED JAPANESE DEsires position in family as cook or general housework. FRANK, Phone 56711. Please call a.m.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A CHINESE BOY, WITH the small family, housework. T. CHAN, 360 S. Broadway.

WANTED—CHINESE SCHOOLBOY WANTS POSItion in a family. Address EAST FIRST ST., 320½. Home Phone F6742.

WANTED—HONEST RELIABLE LICENSED BUS driver wants job on percentage. References given. Address X, box 585, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD JAPANESE WANTS POSITION AS cook and house worker, $27 monthly. Address M, box 282, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT BY PHYSICIAN REGIStered. Address Z, box 433, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LAUNDRY POSITION, MUCH EXPERIENCED, YOUNG JAPANESE, NO OBJECTION, DO ANYTHING. A2947.

WANTED—JAPANESE, GOOD COOK, WANTS POSItion, $30, $35 month, has many years' experience. 807 W. SIXTH.

WANTED—SITUATION, BUTLER, VALET, ENGlish, first-class references. RUSSELL, 1456 Santee st. Phone Main 5279.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED COLLECTOR, NOT afraid of work, wants employment. Address J. S. COCKS, 421 Exchange Bldg.

WANTED—ALL AROUND FORD MAN WOULD like steady position, anywhere. Address L, box 296, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS AUTO DRIVER WILLING to work for almost nothing. Call for C. M. HEARD, F1936 or Main 2018.

WANTED—JAPANESE YOUNG MAN WANTS A POsition as porter or any other housework. HOME phone A2902.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, YOUNG JAPANESE, EXperienced and speaks English. FRANK TOMA, care F. and K. Garage, N. San Pedro st. Main 3578.

WANTED — SITUATION, REGISTERED PHARMacist and kodak salesman of 12 years' experience. Best of references. CALL F8868.

WANTED—PERMANENT POSITION BY GRADUATE pharmacist, thoroughly experienced, registered California. Address L, box 130, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY EXPERIENCED JAPanese gardener, in the city or country. GEORGE, 640 Banning st.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS WASHER AND GARAGE man, handy with tools, wants good situation. Address E, box 379, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—MARRIED MAN WITH SEVEN YEARS' business experience, railway auditing office, assistant manager, building supply company and alone in latter line as general sales agent for various large concerns, desires responsible connection with firm which offers good opportunity for advancement; salary basis; sober, energetic, reliable; best of references. Address A, box 406, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS DIRECTOR, BANDmaster, composer and arranger, who plays flute, clarinet, saxophone, piano, pipe organ, choir master and teaches all instruments, pertaining to military band, desires a position. Highest references as ot ability and character. 1324 WINFIELD ST. No phone.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, AMERICAN, 38, THORough office man, fifteen years' experience controlling accounts, statements showing true conditions, credits, correspondence, etc. Five years with certified accountant. References bond. City or country. Room 15, HOTEL WARD.

WANTED—MAN WITH FAMILY WANTS JOB ON ranch as foreman, fruit or alfalfa. Have three years' experience in Southern California. Would go to Imperial Valley. Address O. E. HERRANG, Elsinore, Cal., or call Lakeland ranch.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, EXPERIENCED DRIVER, competent and reliable, wants position with private family, no objection to care of garden and yard, etc. City references. Address L, box 142, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE YOU POSITION FOR A MANAger or secretary-treasurer; married; highest credentials; many years' business experience; open for any good situation with salary. Address A, box 415, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, KODAK SALESMAN, BEST of references. Phone MAIN 2829.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED GROCERY man. References. BROADWAY 2694.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 25 YEARS OLD, WOULD like position as milker on a dairy. Call 74001.

EMPLOYMENT—
Agencies.

WANTED—NOTICE TO PRIVATE FAMILIES, WHEN you need first-class domestic help phone us. Prompt and reliable service. We make a specialty of domestic help. Try us. LOS ANGELES EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 410-11 Germain Bldg., 224 S. Spring st. Phone F5419.

WANTED—SITUATIONS ALL COLORED. IF YOU want well experienced and efficient help guaranteed the best that can be secured, ring up J. W. COLEMAN, the old reliable employment agency, 211 E. Second st. Telephone Broadway 2106, Home A2879.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED—POSITION AS COURT REPORTER IN either Superior or Justice courts, or for Coroner, by lady who has had experience in these classes of reporting; or would accept position in law office where depositions are taken. Address, giving full particulars and salary, EDITH E. GOODMAN, 702 First National Bank Bldg., San Jose, Cal.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED NORTH GERMAN DESIRES POSITION TO ONE OR TWO CHILDREN. RELIABLE, COMPETENT. BEST LOCAL REFERENCES. ADDRESS Z, BOX 549, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BY REFINED LADY, POSITION AS housekeeper; experienced, capable and willing; or would accept room and board in exchange for service part of the day. Address M. V., TIMES OFFICE, 229 Santa Monica blvd., Ocean Park.

WANTED — REFINED LADY AS HOUSEKEEPER for gentleman with child, or for gentlemen that are away through the day. Address Z, box 417, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WOMAN WOULD LIKE work in restaurant, boarding or rooming-house; good cook and manager; husband also wants work. Address M, box 284, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EASTERN LADY OF REFINEMENT wishes position as companion or housekeeper to elderly lady alone in modern home. Address Z, box 436, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND STENOGRAPHER, am competent to take full charge, references, moderate salary. Address X, box 419, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSE, MIDDLE-AGED, strong, sympathetic, this attribute is a mental aid to recovery of patients; references. BOYLE 2151.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN WISHING TO GO TO Chicago or Cleveland will give services of companion or nurse for traveling expenses, excellent credentials. PHONE 26456.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, CLEANING. COMpetent Swedish and German woman. Phone mornings. 12639. MAIN 1095.

WANTED—CLOTHES LAUNDERED FOR 50c AND 75c a dozen. First-class work. VERMONT 4310.

WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED GERMAN GIRL, housework; good cook; wages $40. 22050; SOUTH 1732.

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEWORK, WOMAN with child. German and Swedish. $20 month. Phone MAIN 1095.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN WANTS WORK AT once. JOSIE BEAN, 1043½ Denver ave., Los Angeles.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER OR cook, chambermaid; will go out of city. Phone BROADWAY 7491.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY OF CULTURE WILL read to invalid or care for children efficiently. 25c an hour. PHONE 57465.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPING POSITION, REFINED educated young woman; has child, $15. Address A, box 400, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEWORK BY REFINED woman with child, $10. Address A, box 410, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BY COMPETENT FITTER AND DEsigner work by the day. Phone SOUTH 1987. Glass.

WANTED—BY GERMAN GIRL, ALL KINDS OF day work. Call Thursday. HOME F4608, room 22.

WANTED — HOUSEWORK MORNINGS. GOOD cook. References. Address Z, box 432, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BY COMPETENT GIRL, STENOGraphy, book-keeping mornings. Address X, box 591, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS ASSISTANT IN PHYSIcians office. Four years' experience. Phone South 7763. Ask for MRS. WINNER.

WANTED—BY A PRACTICAL NURSE POSITION in a private home, would make herself generally useful. Address NURSE, 54098. Phone number.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL, GOOD COOK AND first-class laundress, desires work by month, best references, city or country. BROADWAY 3414.

WANTED — APARTMENT-HOUSE TO MANAGE by an experienced woman. Address A, box 414, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN, NEAT, HANDY, wishes work by hour, all or part day. A5367.

WANTED—SEWING, BY EXPERIENCED DRESSmaker. Call DRESSMAKER, Phone 557520.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL WANTS WORK BY THE month, with reference. BROADWAY 605.

WANTED—GERMAN, FIRST-CLASS COOK, WISHes position private family. PHONE 51147.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSE WILL BRING PARalytic case to her home. Phone VERMONT 775.

WANTED—WORK, HOUR OR DAY. F2421. MRS. McD. Colored.

WANTED—PRACTICAL NURSE WITH REFERence. Phone A5554. MRS. M'DANIELS.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER WANTS POSITION, $6. For quick service call MAIN 4796; F9192.

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED — POSITION, JAPANESE MAN AND young wife as general housekeeper and cooking, in private family, or wife be housekeeper and man be gardener. Any wages acceptable. Write to T. MURANAGA, R. F. D. No. 1, box 50, Gardena, Cal.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE (GERMAN,) WISH position. Man chauffeur, wife first-class cook. City or country. 709 CLANTON ST.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AND WIFE WANT WORK on ranch or camp; wife good cook; man all-round teamster. Address L, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN WANTS HOUSE cleaning and washing by the day. Phone BROADWAY 2061.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK BY YOUNG HOLLAND woman. Phone Boyle 251, ask for MRS. THYSSEN.

WANTED—GERMAN WOMAN, FIRST-CLASS LAUNdress, wants laundry or cleaning. MAIN 419, A5152.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, CLEANING, COMpetent Swedish and German woman. PHONE A2939. MAIN 1095.

WANTED—FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY WORK by day, any kind; also first-class curtains done up. CALL 29494.

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED COLORED LAUNdress, bundles to carry home. Phone SOUTH 4175.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK OR LAUNDRY TO TAKE home. Call WILSHIRE 2900.

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY, WASHING, IRONing, cleaning. MRS. UEDGER, Broadway 520.

WANTED—
Carpentering, Paper-hanging, Tinting, etc.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING AND PAPERhanging, lowest prices, all work guaranteed, best of references. ED. G. KROEGER, 603 Towne ave. Phone Broadway 526.

WANTED—WALL PAPER FURNISHED AND HUNG, $2.50 per room; painting, tinting and patch plastering. We know the business. Call us for samples. 25655, SOUTH 2882.

WANTED — MONEY BACK ROOF REPAIRING, also all kinds of roof painting; chimney sweeping and furnace repairing. A. H. MONMERT, 1587 W. Pico st. Wilshire 711. 52567.

WANTED — CALSOMINING AND PAINTING BY day or contract; references from reliable man I have worked for furnished. HOME phone 41508.

WANTED—PAINTING, PAPERING, TINTING, REpair work a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. PHONE 71366, WEST 4113.

WANTED—
Carpentering, Paper-hanging, Tinting, etc.

WANTED—ROOFS, ROOFS, ROOFS. HAVE THAT leaky roof repaired. We repair all kinds of roofs, also paint all kinds of composition roofs, painted in four colors, guarantee to stop any leak. We also fill water stains in plaster and retint, paint and paperhanging. Call GARVANZA 1347.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGING, first class work; prices reasonable. PAUL GOODWIN, 420 W. Eighth. Main 965, F1198.

WANTED—ROOMS TINTED, $1.00 UP. FIGURES on painting and paperhanging cheerfully given. PHONE 28229.

WANTED — PAPER HANGER DOES PAINTING, tinting; man who knows his business wishes work. MAIN 6483. 52090.

WANTED—ROOM PAPERED, $2; UP; WILL BRING samples; also painting and tinting, reasonable. 250 S. BUNKER HILL. Broadway 5778.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—LARGE LOCAL INDUSTRIAL CORPOration about to extend operations to a national field desires services of a strictly high-class man who can invest $5000 to $10,000. We want a man who has achieved, who can produce results, and who has been accustomed to thinking in big figures and associated with big men to assist in national organization. Without such qualifications your money is unwanted. Tell all in first letter. Correspondence confidential. No attention will be paid to replies received after Dec. 19, 1914. Address A, box 420, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER TO TAKE FULL MANAGEment and control of one of the best bowling alley and billiard-room propositions ever offered in Los Angeles; can secure excellent location at low rental. See MR. BARTLETT or MR. WILL. The Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co., 321 E. Third st.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $500 TO MAKE country trips with me in my machine and help market fast-selling specialty to merchants. Have the goods in stock. Want to begin this week. Call 556410 any morning before 9:00 a.m.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO CAN INVEST $150 jobbing and repairing business, can make $100 month. Steady work. Apply 312 FAY BLDG., 3rd and Hill.

WANTED—ACTIVE PARTNER, WHOLESALE WINery business; ranch and plant; experienced man preferred. E. S. WINERY, 300 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN, REFERENCE, FEW HUNdred dollars, buy interest business, clears several hundred monthly. Get card. 302 GRANT BLDG.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—AMERICAN FAMILY, THREE ADULTS, boy 10, want furnished 5 or 6-room house, with gas and light, no rear. Rent $15 to $17. Walking distance. Address L, box 137, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT IMPROVED RANCH ON shares. A-1 references asked and given. State location and detail. Address M, box 100, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT 10, 15 ACRES OF GOOD standing alfalfa ranch; buy good fresh cows and implements; give full particulars. S. KAWAKITA, R.F.D. No. 42, Artesia, Cal.

WANTED—TO LEASE FROM ONE TO 3 YEARS, 5 to 15 acres of alfalfa with water. Must be within 30 miles of city. State terms, price, location, etc. Address M, box 204, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SMALL HOUSEKEEPING APARTMENTS by experienced person in exchange for services; references. WILSHIRE 2955.

WANTED—TO RENT 5 OR 6-ROOM MODERN furnished bungalow, garage, south end. Phone SOUTH 6027.

WANTED — TO RENT BY TWO PERMANENT tenants, new 4-room double bungalow in southwest; must be reasonable. PHONE 209896.

WANTED—20 TO 150 ACRES ALFALFA LAND, for about 2 years, within 100 miles. M. FUJITA, Route 12, box 369A, city.

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—SINGLE YOUNG MAN WISHES SUNNY housekeeping room. Please give price and details. Address ROOMS, M, box 281, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED—OIL FURNACE HEAT, ELECTRICITY, lights, etc., experienced, wishes work mornings and evenings after school hours in exchange for room and board. ADAMS. Phone Broadway 6054.

WANTED—ROOM WITH SLEEPING PORCH AND board in good residential district, city or suburbs, and with private family preferred. Address GM, box 490, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED—CLEAR HOUSE WORTH UP TO $10,000, as part payment on the best business corner in the fast-growing town of Van Nuys. Partially improved, all rented. Will take mortgage for balance. No small mortgage. Price $37,000. J. J. SHINNERS, 607 S. Hill st.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCE, 6 TO 8 rooms, in Pasadena, Hollywood or might consider west side. I want this for a man that can pay cash if you make it an object for him to do so. Call SIDNEY O'NEIL.
Main 3081. SIDNEY O'NEIL & CO.,
A4232. 515 Lankershim Bldg.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO-ACRE COUNTRY HOME, highly improved, foothill section. Will give West Adams home.
One or two-acre chicken ranch to $3000. Give large lot, California house, barn and fruit, close in. Riverside, $1250, clear, as first payment. WEST 5066.

WANTED—FLATS. HAVE 30 ACRES A-1 CELERY land, toward Huntington Beach, $30,000 clear. Want flats, for Lankershim, Hawthorne, Beverly and four lots. Valued $10,000 clear. Want flats for acreage near Main st., five or ten acres, $8000, $18,000. FRANK L. FRARY, 411 Van Nuys Bldg. A8059.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE PROPERTY OF ANY DEscription for sale or exchange, list it with me for results.
H. A. ECKERT, with
R. C. POLLARD,
A3475. 621 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 3873.

WANTED—WILL PAY SPOT CASH FOR FULL-SIZE unrestricted bargain lot in Wilshire district, east of Western ave., south of Fifth st. Give price and exact location or no attention given. No agents. Address Z, box 430, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BRICK APARTMENT-HOUSE UP TO $55,000; will give $30,000 clear alfalfa land at bank appraisement, with plenty of ditch water. Merced county, balance mortgage.
W. J. KELLY. Main 2402.
435 Van Nuys Bldg. A2462.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE — WE ARE IN THE market for a few bargains in city property for all cash. If you are willing to sacrifice, please call and see us. No bungalows wanted. L. H. MITCHEL & SONS, 307 Title Insurance Bldg. A1066; Main 5353.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE AN APARTMENT LOT in the district south of Third and between Figueroa and Westlake Park. Give location, price, terms. Address KL, box 634, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—A WALNUT GROVE; IF GOOD WILL consider to $35,000; offer $15,000 clear city property and cash, or assume; will guarantee loan. MR. MILLARD, 417 Van Nuys Bldg. A3337, Main 886.

WANTED—FLATS OR INCOME PROPERTY TO $25,000. Will give 20 acres Santa Ana ranch, live stock and implements included; price $20,000; balance cash. MRS. WILSON, 509 Marsh-Strong Bldg. Broadway 968.

WANTED—
To purchase a 6-room bungalow north of Adams and south of Fifth street, west. Will put in a couple of cheap lots, clear as part pay.
CONWAY & GLEASON,
405 Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED—PARTIES HAVING PROPERTY OF ANY description for sale or exchange, list it with me for quick results.
HERMAN RAHLS,
F6796. 729 Merchants' Nat. Bank Bldg.

WANTED—IF YOUR LOT IS CLEAR I CAN FInance the building. Write me, giving full particulars. Address Y, box 458, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE VACANT LOT WE CAN build for you and take mortgage for payment. For particulars see 317 CENTRAL BLDG. Home Phone F7516.

WANTED—IMPROVED RANCH 20 TO 100 ACRES within 30 miles of Los Angeles. Must be choice and cheap for cash. EDWIN S. MILLER, 313 Herman W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—6 TO 7-ROOM RESIDENCE AND GArage. Will assume and pay for equity in Portland real estate or good unincumbered Michigan lots. 308 WEST NINTH. Broadway 2240.

WANTED—CLEAR REAL ESTATE. 8 PER CENT. preferred stock in good mortgage company to exchange for clear real estate. Address VF, box 297, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BARGAINS, REAL, BUT NOT FICTItious, for cash buyers of city or country property. Agents or owners. H. C. HOLLINS, 729 Story Bldg. F5890, Main 7184.

WANTED—YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE OR EXchange. Can sell or match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 314 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED — BUNGALOW FOR $1500, ALHAMBRA acre and cash or assume. Price must be right. Address X, box 499, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CITY INCOME FOR $11,000, 20-ACRE improved. Will assume liberally. MRS. RUTHEL, Main 5225, 60054.

WANTED—APARTMENT-HOUSE FOR FULL BEARing orange grove and cash. Address M, box 294, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—
clothing. Highest prices paid by us. MAIN 3777.

WANTED—TOP PRICES PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S, ladies' used clothing, by COHEN, Pacific Coast's largest dealers. We call. F3890, Main 4024. 908 S. Spring. 111 E. Seventh.

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WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT FOR CASH. PHONES F3250, Main 3859. DAWSON'S BOOK SHOP, 518 S. Hill.

WANTED—BARGAIN IN DIAMOND ABOUT ½ carat. Call at 420 W. SIXTH ST. Phone F2501. Broadway 5281.

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TO LET—Apartments Furnished.

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CUT RATES. ECHO APARTMENTS. 2015 Sunset Blvd.

Attractive, sunny situation, 100 feet clear space both sides; two blocks from Echo Park, with its beautiful lake, boating, tennis courts and public library; ten minutes on Hollywood cars; through Venice cars pass door.

Electric irons, hot water, steam heat, telephones, garage; we own buildings and can make lower rates than apartment-house proprietors paying rent. Investigate. Home 52077. Wilshire 2800.

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2 and 3-room apartments, newly furnished, private baths and phones; large, airy rooms; walking distance. Apartments, $16 to $30 per month. Phones: MAIN 9050, F7537.

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ARE YOU LOOKING FOR AN APARTMENT? DON'T WALK, SAVE TIME, MONEY & CAR FARE. WE LOCATE YOU FREE OF COST.

We have apartments at all prices, all sizes; locations to suit. Our automobiles are at your service. Remember it costs you nothing and we save you money. We also have several handsomely furnished bungalows. CLEMENT APARTMENT RENTAL AGENCY, 305 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. Phone Home A4960.

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IVINS APARTMENTS AND HOTEL, FIGUEROA AND TENTH STS.

75 rooms, beautiful apartments, with kitchen, a home within itself; about 100 rooms straight hotel, with full service, $35, $40 and up.
E. J. A. WATTS, Manager, Formerly with Hotel Statler, Buffalo, N. Y.

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On Grand ave. between 2nd and 3rd sts. Have just been opened for business. These apartments are 3 rooms each, with bath; newly papered and furnished throughout; wall beds, gas floor furnaces for heating. Everything nice and complete. Call and see them. Prices reasonable. Only 3 minutes' walk up the flats. See the HOUSEKEEPER, room 1.

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Housekeeping apartments, summer rates; new concrete building, two passenger elevators; every room an outside room; well ventilated; well heated; croquet courts; tennis courts, free garage; 10 minutes' walk to Third and Broadway. Apartments $40 to $100 a month. Present this adv. and get $5 at the time you pay first month's rent. Phones 10108, or Main 834.

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Between Seventh and Eighth st. car lines. 125 rooms, 42 apartments, every one furnished as well, and service better than the best European hotel in the city, at one-third the price. Location, surroundings and conveniences the best. Three vacancies at present.

TO LET—POTTER APARTMENTS—One nice place to live. High-class. Reasonable rates. We want a few nice people to fill our house for the winter. Croquet grounds, tennis court, pool table. Dance hall, fine lobby. No objection to children. Good car service and reasonable garage close by. References required. 1237 S. ALVARADO ST. 55348. West 2849.

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Beautiful Loveland Apartments, Corner Orange and Bonnie Brae sts. Just Opened.
Private outside balconies and individual showers. Two blocks from Westlake Park. $25 and up. 60745. WILSHIRE 5580.

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One $40, 3-room apartment, steam heat, private phone, modern in every way, if taken today. $35 and no raise. Tenth and Westlake ave. Wilshire 3100. Home 556056.

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THE EDWARDS APARTMENTS, 1427 Griffith ave. Large 3-room apartments, with beautiful private bath, only $16 per month, equal to west side $40 apartments. Come today. PHONE 25615.

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Newly Furnished and Managed by Owner. Prices Reasonable.
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TO LET — VALDEZ APARTMENTS, QUIET AND comfortable in every way. Call us up. 53466. 812 S. CORONADO ST.

TO LET—HOLLENBECK PARK APARTMENTS. Modern 2 and 3-room furnished apartments; steam heat; hot water, $17 per month up. 1949 E. FOURTH ST. Phone 41975; Boyle 242.

TO LET — LOUVRE APARTMENTS, 605 E. WASHington; steam heat, private baths, private phones, roof garden, garage; best in city for the money. 24742.

TO LET—HEATED, SUNNY, MODERN APARTments, $16 to $30, near Maple. ANABELL, 515 E. 15th.

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TO LET—MAYBELLE APARTMENTS. Walking distance. Every modern convenience. Double apartments only, $30 and up. 1225 W. FIFTH ST., between Boylston and Bixel.

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New, first-class, 5 minutes' walk from 5th and Broadway. 517 S. FLOWER ST.

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TO LET—SCHLOESSER APARTMENTS, SECOND and Olive. Suites $25 up. A4924. Near Broadway.

TO LET—NEW 3 ROOMS AND BATH; ADULTS; also garage. 620 W. JEFFERSON ST.

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TO LET—Apartments Unfurnished.

TO LET—THE MOST ATTRACTIVE APARTMENT IN Los Angeles, unfurnished, upstairs, living-room mahogany finish; 2 bedrooms, sleeping porch, beautiful neighborhood, $85 per month. Address 2810 SCARFF ST. Write or phone JOY CLARK at above address.

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TO LET—UPSTAIRS, BRICK, THREE ROOMS, bath, two wall beds. 1044½ PARK VIEW. 51119; WILSHIRE 856.

TO LET—3-ROOM APARTMENTS, PRIVATE BATH, disappearing beds, gas range. 356 N. WESTERN AVE. Phone West 4853.

TO LET—Rooms and Board.

TO LET—WESTLAKE HALL, 837 WESTLAKE, charming home, beautiful rooms, excellent table, parlors, billiards, furnace, sleeping porches, garage. Rates. 59946.

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TO LET—SUNNY FRONT ROOMS IN PRIVATE home, $2 per week; excellent board if desired. Rates to parties. 3 car lines. West 3658. 1402 REID.

TO LET—LARGE FRONT ROOM AND BOARD FOR two, $50 month, near Westlake Park; piano, phone, heat, bath. 54748.

TO LET—WANTED, YOUNG PEOPLE OF REFINEment, to board and room at 1621 ORANGE ST. Use of parlor and piano, good home cooking. $20 per month. Westlake district.

TO LET—HOTEL BERESFORD, 1050 S. Hope. Offers room and board, $7 per week and up; walking distance. A4900.

TO LET—FOR REFINED PEOPLE, EXCELLENT table, attractive rooms, steam heated, room telephones, private baths. WILSHIRE HOTEL, 671 S. Coronado.

TO LET—IN WESTLAKE SECTION, LARGE CONnecting, also single rooms; excellent board, private family. 649 BEACON, corner West Ninth. 53549. Wilshire 1038.

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE ROOM, WITHIN WALKING distance. Excellent board. Moderate rates. 1121 INGRAHAM. 54006.

TO LET—1023 S. BONNIE BRAE, LARGE, SUNNY front rooms, suitable for two, business people preferred. Rates reasonable. Excellent table. Furnace heat. 54441.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, INCLUDing board. JEFFRIES HOTEL, 421½ Alpine st. Phone A1451.

TO LET—SUNNY, PLEASANT ROOM, SUITABLE for two. Excellent table board. 715 S. BONNIE BRAE.

TO LET—BELLEVUE TERRACE HOTEL, 6TH AND FIGUEROA. PLEASANT PLACE FOR HOME-LIKE PEOPLE. NO CHANGE IN RATES FOR WINTER. BOARD AND ROOM, $25 PER MONTH UP. ROOMS ONLY $2 WEEK UP. MAIN 446; F5392.

TO LET—ST. JAMES HOTEL. 817 W. 2nd st. Charming homelike place, near park; beautiful rooms, baths, steam heat, parlors, porches; excellent table; moderate rates. University car. WEST 2782. 20101.

TO LET—IN ELEGANT HOME, BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED SUNNY ROOMS; EXCELLENT BOARD; IDEAL LOCATION, LIVING-ROOM, PIANO, FURNACE HEAT, REFERENCES; REASONABLE. 1132 LAKE ST. 556817.

TO LET—PRACTICAL NURSE TAKES 2 OR 3 healthseekers for room and board, in beautiful country home. Rooms with heat, three porches, bath and electricity. Excellent table. Walking distance. Monrovia car. Phone ALHAMBRA 389.

TO LET—LADY FROM SOUTH HAS JUST COME here and furnished beautiful home. Westlake district. Would like a few young men or couple to room. Board if preferred. Strictly first-class. PHONE 53662.

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY FRONT ROOM WITH private bath, nicely furnished, twin beds, breakfast and dinner, gentlemen preferred. WILSHIRE 557.

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46 rooms, brick, modern, rent $3.50 .... $6150
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For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR LEASE—NEW, UNFURNISHED APARTMENT and rooming-house, 30 rooms, all outside, steam heated, hot and cold running water in every room. Single rooms connected with private bath. Only one of its kind in town, one block from business section. Inquire at HOME BAKERY, 420 Beacon st., San Pedro.

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Furniture and lease of a modern apartment-house, 22 apartments, up-to-date, in first-class condition, clear, close in, on Grand Ave., 10 minutes from Hamburger's. Special figure for cash. See owner, 538 BYRNE BLDG. A4828.

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TO LEASE—A FINE NEW 90-ROOM APARTMENT-HOUSE; EVERY UP-TO-DATE FEATURE, SUCH AS BUILT-IN DRESSERS WITH TILTING MIRRORS, WINDOW SEATS, KITCHEN TABLES, ETC., SEMI-INDIRECT LIGHTING FIXTURES, INDIRECT RADIATION; BURGLAR-PROOF LOCKS, REAL BRASS BEDS, ROLLER SCREENS, ETC., MAHOGANY FINISH. NEW IDEA, DIFFERENT FROM OTHERS. SEE OWNER, AT 1122 GEORGIA ST. PHONE 53842.

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44 rooms, hardwood finish, large lobby, with fireplace; this is the cheapest lease in town. Many applications for apartments now.
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TO LET—FOR LEASE.
28-room apartment-house.
Furniture for sale very cheap.
Close in and a chance to make money.
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F3142. 609 Security Bldg. Bdwy. 1200.

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For Exchange—Brick apartment-house, Westlake district, under lease for $6000 per year; price $65,000; want clear city or close-in country to $35,000, balance mortgage.
W. J. KELLY, Main 2468.
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96x170 feet, improved, just off of Pico, close in; clear of incumbrance, value $30,000.
Want good vacant lemon land close to Los Angeles. See Mr. Harper.

FRANKLIN HARPER CO.,
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New and highly improved income property corner of Hollywood, just about completed and is half occupied now; before it is finished this property will show a fine net income on the value; lot is large and the buildings are of the latest design and construction; owner will consider some cash, and terms, or cash and good property or property and good mortgages. Price $35,000.
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Have gilt-edge downtown income property worth $65,000; want
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FOR EXCHANGE — WESTLAKE, NEW FOUR-FLAT building, the finest and most up-to-date in city; price $18,000; splendid income; want clear city to $9000; balance mortgage. Commission to agents.
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FOR EXCHANGE—
Want clear city or eastern income; fine corner, near Washington and Figueroa, vacant, worth the price in cash, $45,000, mtg. $20,000; accept to $25,000.
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FOR EXCHANGE—FOR ROOMING OR APARTment-house about 40 to 60 rooms for $8000 equity in Central ave. property. Mortgage $5500. Address D. WEBB, 322 E. 16th st.

FOR EXCHANGE—WESTLAKE DISTRICT APARTments, $30,000. Want bearing orange grove, with modern house, to $25,000. E. A. NORTON, 215 Black Bldg. F6167.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—

Clear 6-room bungalow on lot 70x150 feet, improved street, beautiful place and location in Santa Ana. Value $4200. Want house in Los Angeles, west side. Will assume mortgage up to $3000. Owners only.
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FOR EXCHANGE—FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Good new 5-room cottage, modern, with oak finish. Corner lot. Price $5000, clear. Will assume. 1424 WEST 10TH ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—8-ROOM BRICK HOUSE IN Lansing, Michigan, clear, $4500. Wants cottage in city. A3448, Main 4864. A. BOEKER, 522 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$12,000 EQUITY IN 2 LARGE houses, leased for $100 per month; want close-in acreage or clear eastern. Call OWNER, Hollywood 2590.

FOR EXCHANGE — 11-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, large grounds, Sierra Vista, $15,000; mortgage $4500. Submit. E. A. NORTON, 215 Black Bldg. F6167.

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FOR EXCHANGE—FINE 11-ROOM RESIDENCE ON W. 18th st., near Arlington. Call HOLLY 2599.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT LOT FOR MY HANDsome six-room new bungalow at 1512 West 55th st., go see it, make me an offer; must sell; commission to agents. LANGLEY, 606 S. Hope st.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE CORNER ON VERMONT ave., will take eastern property. E. B. ROBINSON, 407 Story Bldg. Main 4223 or A5703.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE — $900 EQUITY, ALHAMBRA bungalow. Bank appraisement $4000. Want auto or what? Phone FRED GRANT, Bdwy. 788.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—5 ACRES IN POMONA, ALL IN alfalfa. New 5-room house, large barn, 2000-gallon tank, pump, engine, etc. Plenty of water for irrigation. $6000; mortgage $2000. Want bungalow southwest. KUCK & GOLDEN, sole agent, 522 Black Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—107 ACRES, PERRIS, HEMET Valley. Not in bonded district. 50 acres in alfalfa, interset with walnut trees, ½ mile from station and state highway, $34,000; mortgage $6000. Want clear eastern or local. OWNER, 2162 West 31st st. 74157.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—HIGHLY IMPROVED 17-acre ranch, nine miles from Los Angeles, price $17,000; will exchange $11,000 equity for city or large, cheap acreage. Owners only. F. M. JONES, Box 346, R. F. D. No. 14, Los Angeles.

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Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—IRRIGATION PROPOSITION. I have 15,000 acres of land, well located, in New Mexico; over half of which is irrigable from gravity at extremely low cost; river through the land and close to good town. I am floating in Los Angeles and will exchange this land at cash valuation of $7 per acre, CLEAR OF INCUMBRANCE, for local income property to $150,000. Prefer to deal with owners. Explain fully. Address Z, box 495, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—30 ACRES OF VERY FINE LAND south of Los Angeles with artesian well, suitable for dairy, hogs, chickens or garden truck. Price $18,000. Want Los Angeles city property. L. H. MITCHEL & SONS, owners, 307 Title Insurance Bldg.

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FOR EXCHANGE—1260-ACRE HIGHLY IMPROVED wheat ranch near Spokane, Wash., fully equipped with buildings, granaries, 15 teams, cows, hogs, farming implements, chickens and furniture. 1100 acres now ready to plant to wheat; crop averages more than 35 bushels to the acre. Wheat now worth $1.15 per bushel. Price of property complete, $73,000. Want Los Angeles property. HOYT H. MITCHEL, owner, 307 Title Insurance Bldg. A1983. Main 5253.

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FOR EXCHANGE—60x190 AND BIG HOUSE, CLOSE in, near Washington baseball park; price $12,500; want Frisco or Oakland. I. H. SHOEMAKER, 514 Story Bldg. Main or F6331.

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FOR EXCHANGE — CHICAGO PROPERTY FOR Southern California our specialty. Office and competent assistants in Chicago. LANGDON & LANGDON, Main 2802, 705 Grant Bldg. A5655.

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Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—SEVERAL DESIRABLE PROPerties. 160 acres Victor Valley, with irrigation water, $16,000, clear. 125 acres irrigable land, Fresno county, $20,000, incumbrance $2500. Residence Compton blvd., $4750, incumbrance $1700. Group to suit and assume liberally.
88 acres Bent county, Colorado, $5000, clear, will assume. 160 acres near Oakaton, Lyman county, South Dakota, $4800, want local, will assume $2000, prefer San Fernando Valley. 152 acres near Raymond, Madera county, Cal., $5000, clear, will assume $2500 on local, prefer house. 160 acres Dallas county, Missouri. 120 acres Humboldt county, California, $10,000, clear, will assume $5000 on income.
J. C. GREEN,
Main 4069. 802 Van Nuys Bldg. 14969.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$1500—GLENDALE, large lot, near boulevard and cars. Take eastern land or city improved to $1500.
$30,000—Clear, subdivision acreage, Inglewood-Redondo line; submit alfalfa and stock ranch, San Joaquin Valley way, to same or less value. Principals.
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Exchange Specialist,
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FOR EXCHANGE—

I give personal and special attention to exchanges and get results. Please call, write or phone, giving particulars today, so I can get busy for you.

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FOR EXCHANGE — HAVE US APPRAISE IT BEFORE YOU TAKE IT. WE SAFE. WE SUPPLY CORRECT VALUATIONS EVERYWHERE. REALTY APPRAISEMENT BUREAU, ROOM 481, 124 W. FOURTH ST.

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FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXCHANGE your present property. 804 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

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FOR SALE—A FIRST MORTGAGE ON LEMON and orange groves. Value of mortgage $22,000. Payable on or before 5 years. 7 per cent. interest. Will stand full investigation. Belongs to absent owner who has instructed me to sell for $17,500. Address MR. FLORY, 303 S. Hill st.

WANTED—PARTY TO ERECT STORE BUILDING in live suburban town. Will give fine corner and take 5 year lease under bond guaranteeing 8 per cent. net on investment. ORRIN RICE, 220 Union Oil Bldg. A5266.

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PATENT THAT CAN BE EASILY MARKETED AT San Francisco and San Diego fairs. Investigate. D. L. ANTHONY, Chickasaw Hotel.

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Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

$175—HANDLES LUNCH COUNTER, INDUSTRIAL district, a winner.
$250—GROCERY, southwest, 2 living rooms, your chance.
$425—GARAGE, west, clearing $265 monthly, fine opening.
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See CLINE & CROCKETT, 202½ S. Broadway.

PARTNER WANTED TO TAKE FULL MANAGEment and control of one of the best bowling alley and billiard room propositions ever offered in Los Angeles. Can secure excellent location at low rental. See MR. BARTLETT or MR. HILL. The Brunswick-Balke-Collender, 331 E. 3rd st.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST LOCATED DYE works, averaging about $85 a week; my reason for selling, taking up theatrical business; for a quick sale, will sell for $350. MAJESTIC DYE WORKS, 5425 Monte Vista st. 39230. Take Garvanza car.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST-PAYING FAMILY liquor stores (no bar) in Oakland, Cal.; excellent location, long lease, reasonable rent. Licenses are limited. Apply A. S. KAUL, 488 Seventh st., Oakland, Cal.

HAVE EXCELLENT LOCATION FOR SMALL BILliard room; low rent, long lease; small capital required. See MR. HILL or MR. BARTLETT. The BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 331 East 3rd st.

TO LET—VACANT CORNER ON PICO STREET; close in. Has been occupied for over 5 years as an auto and bicycle repair shop. Fine chance for a good repair man to start in lucrative business for himself. Low rent. BARTELS & SCHWARZ, 404 Douglas Bldg.

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FIRST-CLASS MEAT MARKET FOR SALE. THIS market will average $75 per day. I will sell at a bargain. Call and get particulars. Must sell at once. 2028 W. SEVENTH.

$500 AND YOUR SERVICES, MANUFACTURING business: gentleman wants partner; business should make $150 monthly. Will stand investigation. See REID, Delta Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR LEASE—FULLY EQUIPPED, ONE of the best general markets in the city, on one of the best streets; now doing a No. 1 business. Address W, box 452, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MILLINERY STORE IN LIVELY TOWN, Orange county; fine income and clean stock. If you want a business, it will pay to investigate this. Address VG box 299, TIMES OFFICE.

BUTCHER SHOP, DOING $25 PER DAY. OTHER business demands owner's attention. 2001 E. FIRST ST. East First-street car. Boyle 2638.

BEST-PAYING CIGAR STAND IN CITY, IN FRONT of the most popular saloon; long lease; no agents. Address L, box 253, TIMES OFFICE.

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NEW BRICK GARAGE CENTRALLY LOCATED IN Orange, Calif., FOR RENT, $50. PRENTICE SHOE CO., Santa Ana, Cal.

$200—HORSESHOE COUNTER, RENT ONLY $20, 2 years' lease. Receipts $30. A real bargain. 708½ S. BROADWAY.

HAVE PROPOSITION FOR PARTY WHO WILL invest some money and his time in good business. Investigate. 122 E. SIXTH ST.

I WANT TO GET IN TOUCH WITH HIGH-CLASS promoter with money and brains. Have something that will make public sit up and take notice. D. L. ANTHONY, Chickasaw Hotel.

TELEPHONE "WANT ADS."
for insertion in the Sunday Times should be ordered before the rush of business Saturday night.

FOR SALE—GOOD BUSINESS IN SANTA ANA. Address B, care TIMES AGENT, Santa Ana, Cal.

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IRON-CLAD SECURITY—

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NOTICE! THIS IS A GENUINE BARGAIN. NO hot air about this. A beautifully equipped confectionery store with cigars, magazines, and lunches, close in, swell location, cheap rent, good lease, cost to equip $2500. Everything just like new. Must be sold at once. Price $850 cash, might arrange part terms. This is just one-third what it is actually worth. Circumstances compel this sale and quick action, therefore the price. Here is your opportunity. Make your offer at once. See store, 829 W. THIRD ST. Phone owner, 52691 any morning before 10 a.m.

$300 REQUIRED.

The best money-making proposition of today. $100 a week profit for six months.
Now is the time to get in.
Come in and let's talk it over.
Your money doubly secured.
Don't miss the opportunity.
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DESIRE INCORPORATE ESTABLISHED FACTORY—covering San Gabriel Valley (no similar factory.) Monrovia-Covina-Pomona-Glendora-"Dimas"-Puente-Azusa, hundred square miles, NECESSITY, fourth SUCCESSFUL year, need working manager, (advertiser needs vacation.) National, State, local references, RECOGNIZED EXPERT. Have AUTOMOBILE. Controlling interest $800. ABSOLUTELY SQUARE DEAL. Home Tel. 87. Call 1032 AZUSA AVE., Azusa.

REDIPHONES—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF these handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books valued at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 5200 or Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupon delivered. One "Rediphone" only will be delivered to each customer.

FOR SALE — CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and make good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

FOR SALE—SODA FOUNTAIN, LUNCH AND CONfectionery, main floor large department store, Fresno; everything complete and up to date; concession rental only 12 per cent. of gross; includes heat, light and janitor service; will turn over complete equipment for $200 cash, balance in monthly payments; 3 years' time; nothing to pay and no interest until April 1, 1915; best proposition ever offered. Address phone WILD, A1605 or Main 4027.

WANTED—CLEAN CUT HONEST MAN WITH $750 cash to become interested in high-class realty company, established 10 years. References exchanged. Splendid opportunity. We will teach you the business, all we ask is that you must have energy and ambition, along with the money. Address Z, box 412, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

LOOK, LOOK, WHAT DO YU FFER FOR FINE paying grocery, fruit and cigar store, right close in, best location. Must leave within four days and manager was hurt. Must sacrifice all stock and fixtures below cost. Come see me. OWNER, 846½ South Main st.

FOR SALE—
I am in over $1800 in stock and fixtures, private rooms, tables and counters. The only SPANISH GRILL on South BROADWAY. For $800. For full particulars call at
215 MASON OPERAHOUSE, or Phone
A1844. Main 1946.

FOR SALE—ON ACCOUNT OF OTHER INTERESTS to look after I will sell a small manufacturing plant which will bring big returns if properly looked after. Product meeting with success. Needs hard work and patience. Plenty of work for two parties. About $400. Address Z, box 455, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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Doing good business, storage cars pay rent. Sells gasoline, oil and accessories. Fully equipped with tools and machinery, good location. Must be seen to be appreciated. Good reasons for selling. SOUTH 250.

FOR SALE—GARAGE AND MACHINE SHOP SPACE for 40 machines, most full, first-class machinery, making money, good lease, cheap rent. $2500. Buy this business; it is a bargain. Investigate. Owner. Address Z, box 440, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BILLIARD ROOM AND CIGAR STAND, downtown location; this is a little mint and will not last long; lease 2 years at $45 per month, is worth full price asked, $2800; small payment down, balance monthly. See it at 237 E. SEVENTH ST.

WANT ONE OR TWO PARTIES WITH $1000 TO $2000 cash to enlarge already established business. Unlimited field. No competition. Will net 400 per cent. profit, 1915. Principals only. Address L, box 141, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—CONFECTIONERY, DOING FINE BUSINESS, long lease and low rent, average business $15 per day. Call evenings, 2913 S. MAIN ST., or phone THE HOFFMAN CANDY CO., F7736 or Main 1568. 641 Central ave.

$400—HORSESHOE LUNCH COUNTER—$400. Real money maker. Right downtown in business center. Free rent till March. Receipts $45. 708½ S. BROADWAY.

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FOR SALE—RESTAURANT IN SUBURBAN TOWN, doing fine business, everything complete, must sell at once. This is a bargain if you mean business. Address L, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

RESTAURANT, $300 CASH, BALANCE EASY terms, real close in. Busy street. Rent $35. Always done a big business. Modern equipment. Well arranged. 708½ S. BROADWAY.

ONLY BAKERY WITH BIG RETAIL ROUTE IN DIStrict, 12,000 people; owner retiring. Call afternoons, 4720 WESTERN AVE.

$1100 BUYS CONFECTIONERY IN NEAR-BY TOWN of 2500 population; good business and low rent. BILLY'S CHOCOLATE SHOP, Gardena.

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GOOD PLACE TO SELL RABBITS, CHICKENS, fruits, candy, etc., $10 month. Rent 743 S. Main. WOLBERT, 237 N. Flower.

FOR SALE—GOOD CIGAR STAND, FULLY STOCKed, good location, 3-year lease. Call 230 E. FIFTH ST.

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NEW CONFECTIONERY STORE, SWELL FIXtures; cost $2500; want any cash offer. PHONE 52691 mornings.

THEATER TO LEASE, FULLY EQUIPPED, NOW running. Big money maker. In good town. Address "OWNER," 3421 Arlington ave.

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SECOND-HAND SHOWCASES, ONE ENTIRE FLOOR of snaps. See WEBER'S, 316-322 S. Los Angeles.

FOR QUICK ACTION, DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Wanted and Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A GOOD MANUFACTURING PROPOSITION. Want full particulars of the best to be had. Something that will not require more than $3000 to $4000. Address POSTOFFICE BOX 317, Pasadena, Cal.

WANTED—LADIES, GENTLEMEN—IF YOU HAVE good article or formulae write me at once. Desire partnership with right party. Address M, box 283, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LOCATION FOR SMALL PASTRY BAKery and light groceries, south of 12th st., east or west. Address L, box 120, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BUY PROFITABLE DAILY, WITH good job office, in Southern California; owners only; give full particulars. Address L, box 77, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GROCERY UP TO $2500 FOR CASH AND $1500 equity in bungalow. 328 W. 50TH ST.

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SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEVERLY GLEN LOTS OR valued stocks for folding wood chairs, furniture, rugs, tailoring or what? Address I, box 428, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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Real Estate and Improvements.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT.

ON FIRST MORTGAGE.

We want good applications for money on improved residence or business property. Prompt service.

WATERMAN & CO.,
904 Merchants' National Bank Bldg.
Corner Sixth and Spring sts.

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Lots, residences, apartments, stores, flats, ranches,
IN SUMS OF $50 TO $100,000.
Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent., and up.
Advice free. Appraisement free.
No delays, no red tape. Any sum desired.
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Bond issues for erecting big buildings sold.
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SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY
Any amount, $1000 to $3000. Vacant or improved.

Also $1000, for first mortgage or improved Wilshire.

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IF YOU WISH A LOAN ON YOUR PROPERTY, OR have a good first mortgage to sell, write or see us. If security is satisfactory we will give you a large part of the amount in cash and balance in shares of local million-dollar financial institution which will net you about 10 per cent. yearly. Applications given prompt attention in order received. Principals only. Call or address MR. B., 1014 Washington Bldg.

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We loan full cost of home, make sketches and estimates, build to your order. 29 years' experience. We use the best.
Plastone bath floors and drainboards—
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$2500 AT 8 PER CENT.

G. C. HIGBIE—R. W. GORDON, JR.,
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TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON CITY OR COUNTRY.
Conscientious service from long experience.
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Call or see R. V. TAFT,
TAFT REALTY COMPANY,
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F3852, Main 9819. Hollywood 2397. 59645.

MONEY TO LOAN—WISH TO PLACE $3000, 7 per cent. interest on good improved city property. Want quick action.
MERCHANTS REALTY AND INV. CO.,
808 Van Nuys Bldg.
Main 1752. F1785.

QUICK SHORT-TIME LOANS ON REAL ESTATE, $50 to $1000, 1 to 12 months, first or second mortgage; no commission or title fees; money same day. Also loan on or buy mortgages, trust deeds and contracts. SECCOMBE, 728 Title Insurance Bldg., corner 5th and Spring. Main 2616, F3580.

IMMEDIATE SHORT TIME REAL ESTATE LOANS, $50 to $1000, one or more months; first or second mortgages, or contracts; money same day; no title, brokerage, or any fees. Lowest interest. Trust deeds or mortgages bought. H. M. CORLETTE, 214 Security Bldg., Spring and Fifth. F2750. Main 296.

$150,000 TO LOAN—
At lowest rates, city or close-in acreage; improved or unimproved; any amount from $2500 up.
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1002 Merchants National Bank Bldg.
A1904 or Main 287. Sixth and Spring sts.

MONEY TO LOAN—HAVE CLIENTS WITH SUMS from $1500 to $25,000. Want gilt edge loans 40, 45 per cent. valuation. West side. Rate 7 and 8 per cent. Principals or broker. IRVING L. MAYER, 223 Story Bldg. F1165. Bdwy. 3564.

TO LOAN—$300 TO $30,000, SUMS TO SUIT.
City or Country Property.
Lowest Rates. Money Waiting.
R. W. MOYER, 318 Title Insurance Bldg.
F5107, Main 1811. Fifth and Spring.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON VACANT OR improved, building loans a specialty, current rates.
CHANDLER, CASSOU & CO.,
F8121. 503-4-5 Bradbury Bldg. Main 3715.

MONEY AT CURRENT RATES ON FIRST MORTgages. Prompt appraisal and decision.
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CHARGE NO COMMISSION.
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TO LOAN—$1000, $1500, $2000, FIRST MORTGAGE on improved city real estate worth double. CHAS. H. BARFORD, 707 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway, 10 to 3.

TO LOAN—
$25,000
on income city property. Will divide. F. A. PATTEE, 607 Story Bldg. Main 1960. F6748.

TO LOAN—$2000 AT 7 PER CENT. ON CLOSE-IN city property. Also have $1000 to $3000 at 8 per cent. Quick action. 308 BRYSON BLDG.

TO LOAN—FROM $5000 TO $12,000 ON CLOSE IN city or ranch. MISNER, 4710 S. Vermont. Vermont 86. 26258.

MONEY—ANY AMOUNT, 7, 8 PER CENT.; IMproved city and ranches. Also $200 to $1500 vacant lots. CHAPPEL-CHAPPEL, 417 Lissner Bldg.

TO LOAN—WHO WANTS 7 PER CENT. MONEY? I have it on hand. Own own money.
$2500 to $3000.
Can escrow at once on good city property.
Main 2165. F. C. CURRY. A5692.

BRING ME GOOD APPLICATIONS, AS I NEED them badly. Money and no place to put it. Also want discounted mortgages. Mr. Webster, L. H. MITCHEL & SONS, 307 Title Insurance Bldg. A1986, Main 5253.

TO LOAN—
$1000 to $8000.
Want city properties, current rates of interest.
G. C. HIGBIE—R. W. GORDON, JR.,
F2531. 1204 Hollingsworth Bldg. Main 4816.

$3000 ON CLOSE-IN ACREAGE, IMPROVED OR unimproved, might consider purchase of good first mortgage.
F5177. R. W. KINNEY, Bdwy. 388.
819 Trust and Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring.

TO LOAN—$2000, 8 PER CENT. WANT SOUTHwest improved. Will act at once on any good application. Principals only. A1986. 307 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG.

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S. R. EARNEST & CO.,
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TO LOAN—$4000, 7 PER CENT., ON GOOD IMproved city property or Hollywood. Must be choice loan. F2544. 705 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

PRIVATE PARTY WILL LOAN $750 AT 8 PER cent. to applicant offering highest bonus. Submit anything good, give full description. Quick decision. Address M, box 263, TIMES OFFICE.

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TO LOAN—DIRECT. $2000 OR $3000, 7 TO 8 per cent. 2 years, privilege of prepayment any time. Address PA, box 402, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

LOANS—BY PRIVATE PARTY, DIRECT TO OWNers of city real estate, in sums from $500 to $2500, at current rates; no commission. Address Z, box 414, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

$30,000 TO LOAN, 7 PER CENT., IMPROVED CITY property, will split. Also $17,500, available January 1. RUSSELL TAYLOR, 400 Title Insurance Bldg. Bdwy. 2921. F5064.

TO LOAN—$1500 TO $2000 AT 7 PER CENT., ON improved city property, principals only. A5795. 222 LAUGHLIN BLDG. M.6792.

WILL BUY GOOD FIRST MORTGAGE LOANS AT reasonable discount. Wilshire district preferred. Call after 6 evenings and before 10 a.m. 53810.

MONEY TO LOAN—$2500 TO $7500 TO LOAN ON good real estate absolutely money in the bank, all ready for quick action. Ask for MR. HALEY. A7862. Main 2165.

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$1500 TO LOAN ON IMPROVED REAL ESTATE. 1611 ORANGE DRIVE, Hollywood.

TO LOAN—$2000 ON LOS ANGELES IMPROVED real estate. Principals only. CHAS. F. PALMER, 823 Security Bldg. F0224.

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F. H. EVARTS,
A4909, Main 4069. 802 Van Nuys Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN — REPRESENT PRIVATE PARties. IRVING L. MAYER,
F1165. Broadway 3564. 223 Story Bldg.

WILL BUY YOUR TRUST DEEDS OR CONTRACTS. MR. ALLEN, 510 Trust & Savings Bldg. Phone A4408. Main 9702.

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Stocks and bonds at current rates.
McCONNELL & IRVINE,
Established 1886. 311-12 Douglas Bldg.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE, LISTED stocks, bonds and on personal security; notes and commercial paper bought. TRADERS' EXCHANGE, 321 Bryson Bldg. Bdwy. 5190, A3062.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

PIPE— PIPE PIPE—

The Aqueduct Pipe Company, who purchased a very large amount of pipe and casing from the Los Angeles Aqueduct, wishes to notify those who wish to purchase any of this pipe, sizes 1-in., 1¼-in., 1½-in., 2-in., 3¼-in. and 3½-in. that they can do so at a reduced price. They must dispose of all they have on hand this month. We advise you to take advantage of the sale and mail in your order for any amount. All pipe and casing is fully guaranteed.
AQUEDUCT PIPE COMPANY,
1327 W. Seventh st., Los Angeles. Wilshire 1315.

FOR SALE—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS IN The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1915, are read by all sorts, classes and conditions of people everywhere, and afford persons who have things to sell excellent opportunities to exploit their wares. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1914. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

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FINE FURS AT HALF PRICE.
We have just received a few sets of exclusive furs to be sold at once. They consist of minks, fox, coney, fitch, seal and other expensive skins, trimmed and finished beautifully. You can buy a swell fur set at just half regular prices. We have only a limited selection, so call early at
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FOR SALE — CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING-picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and made good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

FOR SALE—SIX STEAM SHOVELS AND 2 ELECTRIC shovels.
Must dispose of them at once.
Write or call up for price.
AQUEDUCT PIPE COMPANY,
1327 W. Seventh st., Los Angeles. Wilshire 1315.

FOR SALE—BUILDING MATERIAL OF ALL KINDS and descriptions, new and second-hand lumber, plumbing, paint, hardware, sash and doors, rubber roofing, corrugated iron and wall board. We welcome competition. Get our figures before buying. SPOT CASH WRECKERS, Seventh and Central.

FOR SALE—LINE OF QUICK SELLING CHRISTMAS packages that will remit 100 per cent. Not having time to sell these articles myself I will sell them out regardless of cost. Job lots or small quantities. These articles can be sold by man or woman. PHONE Broadway 3816.

FOR SALE—
BARB WIRE—BARB WIRE—BARB WIRE.
A carload of galvanized barb wire, small reels, $1.75 per reel; large reels, $2.75 per hundred lbs. WHITING-MEAD COMMERCIAL CO., Ninth and Maple.

FOR SALE—TANKS, TANKS, TANKS, TANKS.
Manufacture galvanized.
Used redwood tanks
for water or oil; cheapest serviceable material can be produced for DEMMITT, 120 N. Main, upstairs. 15191.

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WALL BOARDS, WALL BOARDS, WALL BOARDS.
Cheap and neater than plaster or lumber; any one can apply it in one-quarter of the time. $1 per 1000 square feet. WHITING-MEAD COMMERCIAL CO., Ninth and Maple.

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND CAROM and pocket-billiard tables; bowling alleys and accessories; bar fixtures of all kinds; easy payments. We trust the people. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 331-333 E. Third st., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—
CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in The Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturdays. Classified "Want Ads.", etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE—AUCTION TODAY, 10 A.M., 940 W. 59th place, Vermont cars. Fine furniture and rugs, complete home. Also sell equity in bungalow. Positive sale throughout. H. B. NASH, auctioneer.

FOR SALE — FIRE-PROOF AND BURGLAR-PROOF safes, large stock; safes for exchange. SHEALY SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE — GAS RANGE, BRAND NEW, HIGH cabinet oven and broiler, glass front, four burners, cheap for cash. Call 908 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL ROSE BEADS VERY cheap. Phone SOUTH 8520.

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And Supplies.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A FEW EXCELLENT POCKET and billiard tables, slightly used, that would be just the thing for His Christmas gift. Call and examine same at our showrooms, 331 E. Third st. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO.

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FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—AUCTION—
Friday, Dec. 18, 10 a.m.
2084 Cambridge st., cor. Ardmore.
Take Pico Heights car, get off at Ardmore, walk two blocks south.
The contents of five-room bungalow, consisting of dining-room set, oak sideboard, leather couch, ladies' writing desk, golden oak; roll-top desk, brass and iron beds, springs, mattresses, rugs, birdseye chiffonier, fumed oak dresser, and Princess dresser; double door refrigerator, gas range, dishes, cooking utensils, bric-a-brac, lawn mower and other goods too numerous to mention. E. G. ROOCH, Owner. C. H. O'Connor, Auctioneer. Broadway 5063; F6751.

FOR SALE—ALMOST NEW FURNITURE, FINE brass beds, complete, $17.50. Handsome fumed oak dining table and six Spanish leather seated chairs to match, $32.50; also library table, birdseye maple Princess dresser, $18.50; three fine velvet and Axminster rugs, baby's crib, two leather seated Stickley rockers. This furniture is suitable for Christmas gifts at sacrifice prices. 819 WEST JEFFERSON.

FOR SALE—AUCTION, FRIDAY, 10 A.M., 7221 Cottage ave. Watts local to Florence, east. Furniture, like new, 6 rooms; tufted couch, rockers, library table, 2-inch beds, springs, mattresses, new rugs, hall runner, desk, tables, chairs, range, heater, canned fruit, small goods, 50 fine chickens, full-grown pullets, Rocks and Reds. Fine sale. H. B. NASH, auctioneer, Main 5337.

FOR SALE—AUCTION, SATURDAY, DEC. 19, AT 11 a.m. on the eighth floor of the Washington Bldg., the entire furnishings of the Pacific Athletic Club, consisting of 1 mahogany roll-top desk and chair, 12 mahogany office chairs, 1 mahogany library or office table, 2 oak roll-top desks, 3 rugs. Uncle Tom McCarey has gone to New Orleans and C. H. O'Connor will sell what is left of the club's effects.

FOR SALE—LEAVING, CONTENTS ELEGANT 10-room house, furniture, new, magnificent colonial Circassian walnut set, leather rocker, davenport, brass bed, fumed oak dining set, rugs, porch furniture; sewing machine; Kohler-Chase player piano, refrigerator, everything for home, selling by piece. Big sacrifice. 1400 CONSTANCE ST. Pico Heights car. Phone West 5586.

FOR SALE—SEE AUCTION COLUMN, $30,000 DIAmond and jewelry auction, 640 S. Spring st. The unredeemed pledges of the Provident Pledge Corporation, 2½ years accumulation. Sale again today, Thursday 10 a.m. STROUSE & HULL, Auctioneers.

FOR SALE—GAS ROOM HEATER, HEATS GOOD-sized room; can be easily carried from one room to another. Will sell cheap. Call 908 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—GAS RANGE, BRAND NEW, HIGH cabinet oven and broiler, glass front, four burners, cheap for cash. Call 908 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—BASKET GRATES, GAS LOGS, GAS grates, andirons and wood mantels, from J. W. Frey stock, best goods made; closing out, half price. 1610 S. MAIN.

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OFFICE EQUIPMENT—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—OFFICE DESKS, CHAIRS, TABLES, all standard guaranteed line, at rock-bottom prices. The Los Angeles-street desk house,
WEBER'S,
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FOR SALE—OFFICE FURNITURE, LOWEST prices. Office furniture bought, repaired, refinished and packed. SPELLMAN DESK CO., 730 S. Spring. Bdwy. 7783.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF ARCHITECT'S OFfice, including oak roll-top desk and chair. Oliver typewriter and desk. 420 LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT BLDG. F7708.

WANTED—THE DESK EXCHANGE.
We buy, sell and rent desks at the lowest possible prices. Full line of filing cabinets, sectional bookcases. 314 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE—REAL DESK BARGAINS, NEW AND used; closing out $50,000 stock. BRONSON-CARLISLE DESK CO., 727 S. Spring. Lease for sale.

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.
Automobiles

PACKARD—THE CLASSIEST CAR IN THE CITY in the best of shape. Runs and looks like new.
AUTO TRADERS' EXCHANGE,
524 W. Pico st.

CARS WANTED FOR SPOT CASH.
A number of light cars in good order to complete our stock.
WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFFER?
Call 1039 S. BROADWAY. Phone F2261.

NEW 1915 10-PASSENGER BUS, SMALL PAYMENT down, balance very easy monthly payments, delivers to you the most popular, economical, reliable and practical motor car ever made. "Seeing is believing." Factory, 1812 S. GRAND AVE.

JUST OUT—OUR DECEMBER LIST OF USED CARS containing the best bargains in the city. See this list before you purchase a used car. LOCOMOBILE CO. OF AMERICA, Pico and Grand ave. Main 5088, F2875.

FOR SALE—A REAL BARGAIN, 3-TON TRUCK, 40 H. P., engine, hauls 7 tons, with trailer easy. Fully guaranteed to be in best condition. Forced to sell at sacrifice. Call OWNER, Boyle 993.

1914 STUTZ, JUST LIKE NEW IN EVERY REspect. See this bargain.
AUTO TRADERS' EXCHANGE,
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1913 FORD TOURING CAR FOR $335, THE BEST bargain in town. This car is in fine condition. Other Ford bargains always in stock. GALES & ROBINSON, Pico and Hill.

I WISH TO DISPOSE OF MY 1914 FORD ROADster, this car has had the best of care, runs and looks like new; price $350. Call after 11 a.m. 1844 W. 11TH.

AUTOS, PARTS, ENGINES, TIRES, ETC., SOLD, EXchanged. METZ, 931 S. Main. F1726.

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FOR SALE—
AUTOMOBILE
AUCTION SALE. AUCTION SALE.
December 23, 1914.
10 a.m.
Rain or Shine.
Come and look them over.
A bargain for every one.
All standard makes.
We will auction our entire stock of used autos to the highest bidder (cash or terms) on the above date; consisting of 70 cars.
THE USED MOTOR COMPANY.
OF LOS ANGELES,
1155 S. Olive st.
T. A. Tibbot, Auctioneer.

1914 OAKLAND, 5-PASSENGER.
Self starter, electric lights and best running car yet.
Guaranteed in first-class condition. Run only 4500 miles.
Will sell on very easy payments.
EXCHANGE MOTOR CAR CO.,
1032 S. Olive st.
Main 7006. A1940.

FOR SALE—CADILLAC, 1914 MODEL, 5-PASSENger. Cannot be told from a new car. Perfect condition. Cheap. Cash only. MOON AGENCY, 310 W. Pico. Main 577, F6851.

YOU CAN BUY A 1915 MAXWELL 25 FOR $850, delivered in Los Angeles, equipped with Gray & Davis lighting and starting system, electric horn, 3-speed transmission, center control, left-hand drive, streamline body, 103-inch wheel base, mohair top and adjustable windshield.
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Eleventh and Hope streets.
Main 5470, 10645.

FOR SALE—

Studebaker, 5-passenger; bargain	$385
Mitchell 5-passenger, 1912	$600
Paterson 5-passenger, 1913	$750
Buick 5-passenger, 1913	$650
Buick 5-passenger, 1914	$875

These cars are all in good shape and low in price.
THE TIRE HOUSE,
748 S. Olive st.

FOR SALE—1914 OVERLAND 5-PASSENGER TOURing, run 7600 miles; equipped with Gray & Davis starter and lights, silk mohair leather-faced seat covers, non-skid tires all around and one new extra, never rolled. The best looking second-hand machine in the city for the money.
CHANDLER MOTOR CAR CO. OF CALIFORNIA,
1144 South Hope st.

FOR SALE—WINTON SIX TOURING CAR, PRACtically good as new; excellent condition all through; fine running order; well equipped, 2 new tires, extra casings and tubes; a classy family car; good for $800 on exchange for new Winton; owner will sacrifice for $475 for immediate sale. See MR. MAINES, at Newell's Auto Shop, 59th place and Vermont ave.

FOR SALE—CARTERCAR AUTOMOBILE, MODEL 1, 5-passenger touring car; Continental motor, fine condition throughout; easy to manipulate; economical to run; good tires and all other equipment; demountable tonneau; splendid family car or any other purpose; to sell right away will sacrifice for $375. See owner, at LINDBERG MUSIC COMPANY, 219 W. Second st.

5-PASSENGER DURO—FINEST OF CONDITION.
Guaranteed perfect.
At your own figure.
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WANTED—AUTO. HAVE TWO PARTIES WAITing, want autos. Appearance no object. Engines and gears good. Price must be right. Not auto dealers, but have real customers. Charge no storage or for small repairs. Want car immediately. DEMMITT WINDMILL CO., 120 N. Main. 15191.

BRUSH ROADSTER, A SMALL DELIVERY COMbination at your own price. Come in and make offer.
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1032 S. Olive st.
Main 7006. A1940.

ATTENTION TO OWNERS—
We will repair your auto or truck and will do your machine work at 25c per hour. Or will contract at your own price. Satisfaction guaranteed. City towage free. Call at 2110 WEST 7TH or phone 53401.

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1912 STUDEBAKER "20" COUPE, 3-PASS., ELECtric lights, all in fine condition; must be sold before Saturday; real snap for quick sale.
FISHER BROS. & AUSTIN,
1150-1156 S. Main st.

FOR SALE—FORD, 1914, 5-PASSENGER TOURING car; motor in exceptionally good order, equipped with gas saver, electric lights, muffler cut-out, robe rail; shock absorbers, speedometer; Gabriel horn and oil gauge. Phone HOLLYWOOD 1599.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—CLASSY BIG FOREdoor roadster with folding seat behind. 40-h.p., electric lights, long streamline body, Continental motor. $750. Part cash, balance real estate. BROADWAY 769, A4149.

WANT AUTOMOBILE. HAVE CHATTEL MORTgage $1300, payable $25 per month, at 7 per cent.
F2943. AUGUSTUS V. CURRY, Main 5016.
436 Cont. Realty Bldg., Sixth and Hill.

FOR SALE—MY 4-PASS., INSIDE DRIVE, 6-CYLINder Oakland landaulet; cost $3575, and $200 worth extras; car in fine shape; consider some time; price $2000. Can be seen at 424 W. Sixth st. Appointments, call BROWN A5457, Main 2682.

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FOR EXCHANGE—10 SHARES CAPITAL STOCK IN local manufacturing corporation; value $1500; common rates A1; will stand strictest investigation; will trade for good gasoline or electric car. Address A, box 418, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CHADWICK MACHINE, 50-H.P., FULly equipped and in perfect condition; long, racy-looking car; factory paint; practically new tires all round. Address G. B. MACLEAN, care Los Angeles Soap Co., city.

FOR SALE—MY 7-PASSENGER PACKARD. HAS Bosch magneto, Rayfield carburetor, demountable rims, seat covers, good tires. Motor is perfect. Worth $900. Will take $500. This won't keep. See LEWIS, 2438 S. Grand ave.

GOOD AUTO SALESMAN WITH $3000 CAN JOIN me on equal terms on large agency proposition for classy, strong, light car. Have contract. Address M, box 236, TIMES OFFICE.

WILL MAKE A VERY ATTRACTIVE OFFER TO auto dealer in one Southern California town, who is in position to handle fine, low-priced auto in carloads. Address L, box 135, TIMES OFFICE.

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1911 foredoor Lozier, just overhauled and repainted; will take diamonds and cash or clear lot. Call MR. DAVIS, 402 Black Bldg. Main 2161. F2224.

FOR SALE—1912 PIERCE-ARROW, IN PERFECT order, newly painted, air starter, engine in perfect condition. Address L, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

SOLD A LOT ON CONTRACT, MONTHLY PAYments; $300 still due, which will trade for a Ford, any style, in good condition. Call Main 2666, F2868. 224 W. FOURTH.

FOR SALE—CHALMERS 30, FIVE-PASSENGER, fine shape; a high-class car for jitney; $300; terms. W. L. TRUITT, Sunset phone Glendale 118W.

FOR SALE — 1913 CHALMERS 4-PASSENGER, starter and electric lights. Car is fully equipped and in fine condition. Can be bought right. PIERCE-ARROW AGENCY, 1701 S. Grand ave.

LOT TIRE CHAINS, LOW PRICES. LEATHER treads, 32x4; 32x3½; Prestolites, $10.50; Gloves, $1.50; robes, $2.95. VANDERPOOL'S, 1044 S. Main.

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WANTED—TO BUY FORD CAR; WILL GIVE $300 cash for a 1913-1914 model. Call up 20013, ask for ART.

HAVE $200 CASH AND 40 ACRES CLEAR LAND IN Imperial Valley for late-model car. Address L, box 224, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE — 1913 FORD ROADSTER, FULLY equipped. Master vibrator, shock absorbers, electric lights, Klaxon horn, seat cover, etc. This is an absolute bargain. Call at 1030 S. MAIN.

I MUST SELL MY 30-H.P.P, 7-PASSENGER, 1910 Packard at once. Best offer takes it. Address G, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

1914 FORD ROADSTER, $150 WORTH OF EXtras, oversized tires, etc. Cash or terms. Call BROADWAY 740 or 25466.

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FOR SALE—CHEAP, POPE-HARTFORD, 1912, 7-passenger, newly painted, in A-1 shape. 152 N. RAMPART BLVD.

FOR SALE—A 1912 5-PASSENGER CAR, JUST OVerhauled, cost new $2500, a bargain for $400, or what have you? Would make a good bus. I'm broke. Address L, box 220, TIMES OFFICE.

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Automobiles

CADILLAC, HUDSON, NATIONAL,
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All electric equipped and 1913 and 1914 models. See
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524 W. Pico st.

1912 STUDEBAKER, 5-PASSENGER.
Guaranteed condition.
At a very low price and on very easy terms. See this one before you buy a car.
EXCHANGE MOTOR CAR CO.,
1032 S. Olive st.
Main 7006. A1940.

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LATE MODEL HUPMOBILE, FULLY EQUIPPED, runs and looks like new; at a price.
AUTO TRADERS' EXCHANGE,
524 W. Pico st.

AUTO TIRES CHEAP! LARGEST ASSORTMENT used and new tires in town! Lowest prices. AUTO TIRE STORE, 711 South L. A. st., Main 5814.

1½-TON TRUCK, NEARLY NEW, MUST cash in $350, worth $650; also Prestolite, $10.50, and several auto tires cheap. 1150 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

BUICK—LATE MODEL, FULLY EQUIPPED AND IN new condition throughout.
AUTO TRADERS' EXCHANGE,
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ONLY GARAGE AND MACHINE SHOP IN FASTEST-growing town in Southern California, fully equipped in every detail. A bargain. Call MR. LAWRENCE, Main 5081.

OVERLAND, 1914, ELECTRIC EQUIPPED AND IN best of shape, at a price.
AUTO TRADERS' EXCHANGE,
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$850, PAYABLE ON VERY EASY MONTHLY PAYments, buys new 1915 one-ton motor truck, absolutely guaranteed for 12 months. 1812 S. GRAND AVE.

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FOR SALE—VULCANIZING SHOP IN PASADENA. Address box 73, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

OAKLAND 5-PASSENGER WITH STARTER AND late equipment; in good shape. Price right. 60249; MAIN 7877.

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FORD ROADSTER, $325. LOOKS LIKE NEW, electric lights, Master vibrator, nearly new tires. GALES & ROBINSON, Pico and Hill.

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FOR SALE—1915 FORD TOURING CAR, CHEAP for cash. Apply 844 S. BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—4-CYL. TOURING CAR, HEAVY type; will make good truck. 1947½ E. FIRST.

FOR SALE—$250 TODAY, MY 1910 BUICK WHITE Streak, just overhauled, cut down in racer shape. Newly painted. A1556. 309 N. SAN PEDRO.

IF YOU WANT TO TURN YOUR AUTO INTO MONEY—making real estate, see BROWN, 424 W. Sixth st.

FOR SALE — FOR CASH, FRANKLIN RUNABOUT. Call at 739 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WILL PAY $325 FOR LATE MODEL FORD. F. H. CORCORAN, Natick House, First and Main sts.

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FOR SALE—PACKARD 18 IN GOOD CONDITION. Price $400. DR. McCOY, 39284.

Electric Automobiles.

USED ELECTRICS BOUGHT, SOLD AND EXchanged. ELECTRIC CAR EXCHANGE, West 1944, 72507.

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ONLY $1 PER HOUR HIRES NEW 5-PASSENGER automobile, with clean, careful, courteous and intelligent driver; our service is prompt, reliable, efficient. Please call us when in need of a machine for any purpose. MR. STILLWELL, Wilshire 942; Home 56757.

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Luxurious and easy-riding 40-H.P. Lexington touring car, $1.25 per hour. First-class driver. Always ready. 73026. West 3960.

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FOR HIRE — ROADSTERS, 5 AND 7-PASSENGER, WITH OR WITHOUT DRIVERS; RATES REASONABLE. MR. BILLE, SOUTH 401, 23391.

$1 HOUR AND UP. LATEST MODEL 5-PASSENGER Buicks, competent drivers. 56428, HOLLYWOOD 2448.

$1 PER HOUR. NEW 5-PASSENGER OVERLAND auto; experienced, careful driver for sightseeing and business. O. G. MAXWELL. Phone 54356.

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$1 PER HOUR, X. L. N. T. AUTO LIVERY, LATE model large 5-passenger cars. BROADWAY 8279.

CHANDLER 6, 1915 CARS FOR HIRE, $1.25 PER hour. FOSTER, Main 1183. F3614.

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FOR HIRE—75 CENTS AN HOUR AND UP. Best cars. BOYLE 1613, F8391.

Bicycles.

UP-TO-DATE AT LAST FOR THE BOY. THE only juvenile double-bar bicycle in city, with coaster, roller chain, spring seat, rubber pedals, studded tires and carbide lamp free, for $25. Guaranteed 2 years; only a limited number; come early. Just like a $40 wheel. Others for $18. Big bargains in used wheels. HAYATT, 654 S. Spring.

BICYCLES, ALL MAKES, NEW AND SECONDhand, from $5 to $40; tires and supplies at cash prices. KNIGHT'S, 336-338 N. Main, near postoffice.

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GOOD HEAVY FARM WAGON, $65; FULL LINE harness; also new and second-hand farming tools at SCOTTY'S PLACE, 135 S. Los Angeles st.

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FOR SALE—MOTORCYCLE, FLYING MERKEL, A bargain, $160. Call 7812, WILMINGTON, Cal.

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Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.

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FOR SALE—AUCTION: EMPIRE STABLES, 743 S. Los Angeles st., of 16 head of horses, single and double harness, 4 hacks, buggies, wagons, whips, robes and safe. One Peerless and one Stoddard-Dayton Limousine. All equipment constituting a first-class livery stable. Will be sold at public auction at 10 a.m., Friday, December 18. This is being held to satisfy mortgage. WM. N. SNOWDEN, Auctioneer.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

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Dogs and Dogs at Stud.

FOR SALE—TOY POODLE, MALE, 5 MONTHS OLD, blue-ribbon stock, from Tiny Boy; also male orange sable Pomeranian 1 year old, most gorgeous coated Pomeranian on the Coast, just the thing for a Christmas present. 354 N. MATHEWS. Boyle 2107.

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Ducks, Geese, Turkeys.

FOR SALE—CHRISTMAS PRESENTS THAT PAY. Five quackless ducks and one drake, $10; smaller numbers in proportion. Best fawn-colored India Runner ducks, same number, $13. Smaller numbers in proportion. Remember, a laying duck will more than pay for herself in two months. Toulouse geese, $7 per pair. WYANDOTTE FARM, Inglewood, Cal. Phone 2100W.

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WANTED—100 HEAD OF GOOD HOLSTEIN COWS. Phone F3452. 620 MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

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Facial, Scalp Treatment, Hairdressing.

DOLLIE DARLINGTON, VIBRATORY SCALP treatments. HOTEL ALVIN, 734½ S. Spring, room 3.

QUALITY HAIR GOODS, ELECTROLYSIS, BLEACHing, dyeing, shampoo, 25c. FLORENTINE, 227 Mercantile place, corner Broadway.

FACE MASSAGE, SCALP TREATMENTS, ELECtrical treatments, $1; graduate masseuse. 1003 S. BROADWAY, corner 10th.

EXPERT FACE MASSAGE, VIBRATORY, DR. Haigh's method of scalp treatment for dandruff and scalp disorders. Room 6, 119½ S. SPRING.

MISS WILSON, VIBRATORY TREATMENTS FOR scalp and face. Room 1, 127 S. BROADWAY.

MISS STONE, FACIAL MASSAGE AND EXPERT SCALP TREATMENT. 308 W. NINTH ST.

VIBRATOR, FACE AND SCALP MASSAGE, EASTERN OPERATOR. 738 S. HILL.

SCIENTIFIC TREATMENT FOR ALL SCALP troubles. MISS RAYMOND, 317½ So. Main st., Office 4.

FACIAL AND SCALP MASSAGE. 354½ SOUTH BROADWAY.

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With Experience.

EXPERIENCED PRACTICAL NURSE WILL TAKE confinement cases in her own home. Phone 55357, or write MRS. McCLUNG, 1119 S. Figueroa.

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WANTED—GRADUATE NURSES FROM STATE hospital for institutional positions in city. Address L, box 262, TIMES OFFICE.

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GOOD PRACTICAL NURSE, OBSTETRIC AND INfants, best of city references. SOUTH 7113.

MERCHANDISE—
Special Bargains.

EVERYBODY READS THE MAGNIFICENT MIDwinter Number of The Times, out January 1, 1915. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1914. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

LOST, FOUND, STRAYED
And Stolen.

STRAYED—OR STOLEN—BOSTON TERRIER, male, medium size, screw tail, color seal brown, 4 white feet, white breast and small white spot back of neck, one ear droops slightly. Had on plain leather collar with license tag No. 11 attached. Answers to name of "Tim." $50 reward paid if returned to 217 BELLEFONTAINE ST., Pasadena. Telephone Colorado 5465.

LOST—$10 REWARD AND NO QUESTIONS ASKED for return of green covered, shorthand note book and red covered memorandum book, the latter with owner's name and address inside. Kindly return to BROSEMER, Hotel Antlers. Bdwy. 7178. A4888.

LOST—OR STOLEN—HOWARD WATCH, HUNTING case, 1900 in script on one side of case, F. S. in script on other. Valued as heirloom. Liberal reward, no question. F. M. SCHUSSLER, Broadway Dept. Store.

LOST—ONE 4-YEAR-OLD BAY SADDLE HORSE, with mane cut, one brown mare, 9-years-old, weight about 900, with rubber pads on shoes in front. South 1068 or call 121 SANTA FE AVE., Huntington Park. C. W. Lewis.

LOST — PAIR LEATHER CHAPPS ON VERDUGO road between San Fernando road and Montrose. Reward. Address H. T. BATHEY, 5632 Virginia ave., Los Angeles. Phone evenings, 599206.

LOST—GOLD NECK CHAIN IN LITTLE WHITE envelope either on Broadway between Second and Third, in Pico bus or in West Pico car. Reward. BROADWAY 983. F1632.

LOST—FROM 1419 EAST ADAMS ST., TORTOISE Shell Persian cat, answers to name of "Fluff." Reward for information or return of same. PHONE 25152.

LOST—DECEMBER 13, AT 9 P.M., AT OR NEAR the corner of First and Grand ave. a lady's gold watch. No. 18058704. 118 S. HOPE. Main 5093.

LOST—DECEMBER 15 ON STEAMER YALE'S DOCK a black leather hand bag. Party seen picking it up kindly return to 1807 W. VERNON. Phone Vermont 3840. Reward.

LOST—LEATHER SUITCASE ON CAR LEAVING Santa Fe Depot, Sunday afternoon about 3:10. Liberal reward. VERMONT 1901.

LOST—NEAR COULTER'S, A BEADED INDIAN purse, containing an annual railroad pass. Reward. PHONE 51843.

LOST — SIMPLOFILLER FOUNTAIN PEN, KEEPsake, vicinity Fourth and Main; $2 reward. S. B. LIPPMAN, Hotel Stillwell, 838 S. Grand ave.

LOST—REPEATING GOLD WATCH LAST WEEK, liberal reward, a keepsake. Address 307½ W. SECOND. Phone F8802.

LOST—SMALL BLACK AND WHITE DOG. BLACK around one ear. Answers name "Togo." Reward. Phone SOUTH 8445.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A FRENCH BULLDOG with white streak on chest, no tail. Liberal reward, no questions asked. 966 HOOVER ST. 53292.

FOUND — SAVAGE WHEEL, BETWEEN 23D AND 25th and Seventh ave. Owner can claim wheel if identified by number. Call at 2415 SEVENTH AVE.

FOUND—MR. TANCRED CALL COLORADO 6960, Pasadena for news of Bob.

FOUND—MAN'S GOLD WATCH IN CHAMBER OF Commerce Bldg., Dec. 15. Call BOYLE 3769.

MODELS—
And Model Makers.

MODELS, GEARS, DIES, NOVELTIES AND SPEcial machinery made to order. NATIONAL MACHINE WORKS, 614 N. Main.

PATENTS—
And Patent Attorneys.

PIONEER PATENT AGENCY, HAZARD & STRAUSS, established 1878. Wesley Roberts Bldg. Patent book free.

H. GEARING, MECHANICAL ENGINEER, PATENTS AND MACHINE DESIGNING. 908 S. OLIVE ST. PHONE MAIN 6147.

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TOWNSEND, GRAHAM & HARRIS—
PATENTS AND TRADE-MARKS.
1029 HIGGINS BLDG., LOS ANGELES.

CASSELL SEVERANCE, PATENT LAWYER AND SOlicitor, long experience at Washington, D. C. 808 Security Bldg. A5424, MAIN 180.

PATENTS ALL COUNTRIES, ALEX H. LIDDERS, suite 326 Story Bldg., Sixth and Broadway.

NO PATENTS NO PAY. SEMER G. WELLS, Patent solicitor, 811 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

MASSAGE—
And Other Baths.

MADAME LA TOURE DESIRES CUSTOMERS FOR massage and scalp treatments. Those appreciating neatness and expert treatment call at the BROWNSTONE HOTEL, corner East Fifth and San Pedro sts. Suite 3 and 4. Hours 12 m. to 9 p.m. Operators both sexes.

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MASSAGE, HIGH FREQUENCY TREATMENTS with violet ray; rheumatic cases a specialty. Open evenings. Attendant both sexes. 215-216-217 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG. Broadway 1292. Residence 41687.

CAL. WEST BATHS—ELECTRIC LIGHT, CABINET sweats, massage, electricity; masseur, masseuse. COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 313 W. Third, office 207.

MRS. BADGER, MANAGER, BATHS, MASSAGE; Vera Krause, attendant. 452½ South Broadway, room 18. Hours 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

BATHS AND MASSAGE—UNDER NEW MANAGEment. 218 S. BROADWAY, Room 314, Copp Bldg.

GOLDEN GATE TOILET PARLORS, MINERAL, steam and eucalyptus baths. Room 4. Open Sundays. 208½ S. BROADWAY.

SWEDISH MASSAGE, ELECTRICITY, ELECTRIC cabinet, medicated steam baths. 111 S. SAN PEDRO ST.

BATHS, ELECTRIC, RHEUMATIC, VIOLET LIGHT, cabinet treatments; operators, both sexes. MRS. DAVIES, 511 E. Seventh st.

MAGNETIC MASSAGE, ALCOHOL RUBS, SPECIAL treatment for rheumatism, masseur, masseuse. Open Sundays. 443 W. NINTH, corner Grand.

MRS. THOM, 736 S. HILL, BATHS AND MASsage for rheumatism, nervousness, etc. Operators, both sexes. Open Sundays.

THE CHICAGO BATH PARLOR, 308 SAN FERnando Bldg. GRACE ORR, attendant, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

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MME. SHERWOOD, CHIROPODIST, NEW LIFE treatments. Attendants both sexes. Office 22, entrance 452 S. HILL ST.

MISS DEGEAN, WITH EMPRESS BATHS, 215 FAY BLDG. Open Sunday. BROADWAY 2592.

MME. HIBBARD, ELECTRIC BATHS, MAGNETIC massage. Attendants both sexes. 1155 SOUTH GRAND AVE.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

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Nice line of samples to select from. Our rents are less, hence our prices are less. Bargains we offer should be seen to be appreciated. Easy payments if desired.
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FOR SALE—BEHNING PLAYER-PIANO, 88-NOTE, slightly used; free music and free music exchange privilege; will sell very cheap if taken at once. FITZGERALD MUSIC CO., 947-949-951 S. Broadway, near Tenth.

WANTED—A LITTLE MONEY INVESTED IN THE classified columns of The Times Midwinter Number, out January 1, 1915, will yield large returns. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1914. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

FOR SALE — A BEAUTIFUL HALLET & DAVIS piano, slightly used; excellent tone; cost, new, $450; our price today, $228. Better see this one at PLATT'S, 312 W. Seventh.

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FOR SALE—GENUINE SCHUBERT PIANOS AND players. Some excellent buys just now in used players. See me if you want to save money. GEO. H. BARNES PIANO CO., 131 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — MY BEAUTIFUL CABINET GRAND piano, in fine condition, $150; $5 down, $5 a month. Big discount for cash. 215 W. NINTH ST., between Hill and Broadway.

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FOR SALE—EDISON DIAMOND DISC $250 MAchine, golden oak for $200 cash; no trade. 919 S. FLOWER ST. Phone F6036.

WANTED—HAVE CASH TO PAY FOR BARGAIN in upright piano. Address Z, box 434, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—OR RENT—WEBER PIANO. WOULD TAKE PAYMENTS. 610 W. SIXTH.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, FINE WASHBURN GUITAR, mandolin, violin and cases. 27768.

FOR SALE—PIANO FOR $100. IF TAKEN IMMEDIATELY. 610 W. SIXTH.

Betterment.

MILLIONS USED FOR EDUCATION.

Rockefeller Board Issues its First Report.

Schools and Colleges Given Immense Benefits.

Widely Diverse Activities in Last Twelve Years.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The General Education Board, founded by John D. Rockefeller, to promote education within the United States "without distinction of race, sex or creed," and now equipped with funds for that purpose aggregating nearly $34,000,000, issued a report tonight showing how the funds have been used. This report is the first installment of the first comprehensive report covering the twelve years' activity of the board, which will be issued on January 1.

The total benefactions distributed to outside institutions through the General Education Board up to June 30 of this year amounted to $39,715,720. By direct appropriation the board had devoted $15,894,355 to universities, colleges, schools, educational conferences, rural organization work and farm demonstration work. Out of funds held by the board "to be applied to such specific objects within the corporate purpose of the board" as might be directed by John D. Rockefeller or John D. Rockefeller, Jr., gifts of $13,554,343 to the University of Chicago and $10,267,022 to the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research were made.

Of the direct appropriations more than $1,000,000 was devoted to farm demonstration work in the South and in New England. For this work in the South it is stated $925,750 was given, and more than $50,000 was appropriated for a like purpose in Maine and New Hampshire. To rural organization work and that of rural school agents more than $140,000 was given.

Negro colleges and schools received approximately $700,000, and for the southern education board more than $97,000 was appropriated.

To universities, colleges and medical schools, not including the negro colleges, more than $13,000,000 was given by direct appropriation.

At the present time the board's resources are valued at $33,939,156, of which $30,918,063 is general endowment and $3,021,093 reserve fund.

The administration of the funds is in the hands of a board consisting of Frederick T. Gates, chairman; Walter H. Page, American Ambassador in London; J. D. Rockefeller, Jr.; Albert Shaw, editor of Review of Reviews; Edwin A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia; Harry Pratt Judson, president, University of Chicago; Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus, Harvard University; George E. Vincent, president, University of Minnesota; Anson Phelps Stokes, Andrew Carnegie, Edgar L. Marston, Wyckliffe Rose, Jerome D. Greene, Abraham Flexner, Wallace Buttrick, Starr J. Murphy, and Hollis B. Frissell.

HEINZE SUIT DISMISSED.

Triple Damage Case Against Anaconda Company, Rockefeller and Others will not Come to Trial.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The amended complaint in the suit for an accounting and triple damages, brought under the Sherman anti-trust law by the United Copper Securities Company, as assignee of the firm of Otto Heinze & Co., and Ruth Noyes Heinze, stockholders, against the Amalgamated Copper Company, the Anaconda Copper Company, the Butte Coalition Company, the Red Metals Company, William Rockefeller and other defendants, was dismissed in the United States District Court here today.

In disposing of the amended complaint the court said that it failed to comply with the requirements of the order permitting the revival of the litigation.

ECONOMY IN COLORADO.

Republicans Plan to Show Democrats How to Cut Expenses to Minimum of Efficiency.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, Dec. 16—The enactment of a bill providing for a State industrial commission, and another to reduce the number of State employees and the cost of government to the minimum consistent with efficiency will constitute the principal, if not the entire, legislative programme at the next general Assembly, according to plans announced by Philip B. Stewart, chairman of the State Republican Committee today. Federal experts have been assisting State leaders in the formation of the two bills, it is announced.

The industrial commission measure in its present form contemplates a nonpartisan commission of three, whose duty it will be to handle all industrial questions and to administer a workmen's compensation law, which will be a part of the main statute. An advisory committee representing employers and employees will act with the commission without pay.

MACHINERY—
And Mechanical Arts.

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FOR SALE—
WINDMILLS, TANKS, PUMPS, ENGINES.
SAVE YOU HALF.
SOME GOOD AS NEW.
Machinery taken trade, no junk wanted. DEMMITT COMPANY, 120 N. Main, upstairs. 15191, Broadway 1984.

FOR SALE — HOTEL LEIGHTON ENGINE-ROOM having been equipped with new boilers, we are offering for sale one 20, one 50-h.p. high-pressure boiler, pumps, water and receiving tanks, etc. Los Angeles City Boiler Inspector's report shows boilers O.K.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL GASOLINE DISTILLATE engines at sacrifice if sold this month. 4-H.P. Witte, new, $67; 5-H.P., $65; 8-H.P., $115; 10-H.P., $175; only 25 per cent. of first price. Ranch tools, tanks. DEMMITT, 120 N. Main, 15191.

FOR SALE—60-H.P. FAIRBANKS-MORSE GAS ENgine, fully guaranteed. WELLS, 333 S. Main st. Phone Main 4830.

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS CONDITION, ONE 16-inch lathe. One power hack saw. 400 E. THIRD ST.

MACHINERY OF EVERY DESCRIPTION BOUGHT and sold. Apply BUTTRESS, 735 New High st. Phone Broadway 3696.

SEWING MACHINES—
Old and New.

FOR SALE—$15, SINGER CABINET SEWING MAchine; White Rotary; Standard, $5; many big bargains. Best machines rented. SINGER, 731 S. Bdwy. 62266, Main 4617.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

Burglarize Postoffice Station.

Thieves Tuesday night entered postoffice sub-station C, located in the drug store of T. W. Spafford, No. 800 Eagle Rock avenue. They stole about $100 worth of stamps and $10.

Nebraska Christmas Party.

An old-fashioned Yuletide party has been arranged by the Nebraska Society at Federation Hall tomorrow evening. Former Nebraska people, whether permanently located in Southern California or tourists, are cordially invited.

Barrett Coming.

The Chamber of Commerce has advices that Hon. John Barrett, director-general of the Pan-American Union, will visit Los Angeles and address members of the chamber on or about the 28th inst. Arrangements will be made to entertain Mr. Barrett.

Patriotic Gathering.

A free patriotic gathering of men under the auspices of W. S. Hancock Council, No. 20, Jr., O.U.A.M., will meet in Lindley Hall, No. 1605½ South Main street, this evening. Men born in the United States are cordially invited.

British Memorial Services.

Arrangements were made yesterday by the British Relief Committee for the holding of a memorial service for those lost by the British forces in the European war. The memorial services will be held at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, December 27, in Trinity Auditorium.

They are a Menace.

"Resolved, that the 'jitney' busses are an advantage to the public," a question debated by pupils of the Olive-street night school yesterday lost by an overwhelming majority, only thirteen votes being cast for the affirmative against fifty-seven for the negative.

Gives Herself Up.

Giving herself up to the Los Angeles police yesterday, Miss Helen Hauswirth, the 18-year-old girl who disappeared following a raid on the Bachelors' Club of Whittier, said since the night of the raid she has been in this city with her companion, Miss Stella Bruyn. She was taken to Whittier on a bench warrant issued for her appearance in court.

Editors Going.

Members of the Southern California Editorial Association are planning an excursion to San Diego for the opening of the Panama-California Exposition, January 1. A special round-trip rate of $4 has been offered by the Santa Fe for the opening of the big fair. Tickets are on sale the 30th and 31st insts., and January 1, and are good returning until January 4.

Chicago University Alumni Banquet.

The annual reunion and banquet of the University of Chicago Alumni of Southern California will be held at the University Club Monday evening at 6 o'clock. The club will be addressed by Dr. Chas. H. Judd, director of the School of Education. Any alumni or former students, not graduates, who have not received personal notification may make reservations by communicating with the secretary, Prof. S. L. Weatherby, University of Southern California.

Photographs of U. of S.C.

A collection of 300 enlarged photographs, showing the broad scope of the work of the University of Southern California, and taken for the educational departments of the expositions of San Francisco and San Diego, will soon be completed and ready for shipment. The pictures were taken by J. R. Ward, official photographer for the university. The photographs show members of the faculty, students, the buildings, equipment and the work of all departments of the university, including the marine station at Venice.

Condemns Corporal Punishment.

Corporal punishment was condemned by Reynold E. Blight, member of the Board of Education, in an address to the Fifteenth-street Parent-Teacher Association at the harbor last night. "If our pedagogical methods are so futile that the only way we can get ideas of order and discipline into the children's heads is by beating them in, let us frankly admit that modern education is a failure," he said. "Essentially, every child is a beautiful soul and it is the duty and privilege of the teacher to penetrate by love and sympathy the outward crust of crudeness, ignorance and selfishness and give the soul a chance to expand. That is the noble purpose of present-day education."

PASTOR RESIGNS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BEAUMONT, Dec. 16. — The Rev. Herbert P. Espy has tendered his resignation as pastor of the United Presbyterian Church of this city, having accepted a call to the pastorate of a church of the same denomination in Culver City. Mr. Espy, who has been pastor of the local church for more than thirteen years, expects to leave for Culver City about January 1. His successor has not yet been chosen.

Teasing.

LADY'S FRILLS JUST JOKERS.

SO HE TELLS WIFE WHO SAYS "ANOTHER WOMAN."

Husband Asserts He Put Kid Curlers, Jabot and Gloves in His Pockets to Fool Her With—His Alleged Bete Noire a Stenographer Friend.

Six kid curlers, one jabot and one pair of kid gloves found in the pockets of Jesse Clarence Rhodes by his wife seemed conclusive evidence to her that there was another woman in the case. Mrs. Rhodes employed detectives, a woman sleuth among the number, and what they are alleged to have unearthed was testified to in the wife's divorce suit partially tried yesterday by Judge Wellborn.

Mr. Rhodes, who is a stockholder in and a salesman for the R. M. Hughes Company, explained the woman's gear by saying that the kid curlers were taken on a dare, he betting that his wife would not raise Cain if she found them in his pockets; the kid gloves were put in his pockets to tease his wife. He did not recall the jabot.

Miss Maybelle Walker appears to be Mr. Rhodes's bete noire. He says she was formerly employed by a vinegar concern in New York and came to Los Angeles, applying to him for work. He said he could not give her a steady job, but could throw stenographic work in her way. This work he admitted having taken to her room.

Mrs. Rhodes discovered, she said, that her husband cooked a Belgian hare and other things in Miss Walker's room.

Then there was the episode of a cafeteria. Mrs. Rhodes testified she discovered her husband and Miss Walker eating and informed the proprietor.

"The proprietor," Mrs. Rhodes said, "spoke to my husband about being there with another woman and said they would have to leave. My husband asked me what I was doing there. I told him I wanted to find out with whom he was dining. Miss Walker beat it to the kitchen and I followed, remonstrating with her.

"She asked me why I did not reform him with Christian Science. She said she could not do anything with him.

"'You can't reform him,' she said, 'because I know him too well for that.'"

Mr. Rhodes denied the alleged misconduct. He owns 11,700 shares of stock of the R. M. Hughes Company and has land in Utah. The couple have a daughter, Vilma, aged 5 years.

The case will be resumed today.

ASSAULT AND ASSAULT.

Federal Officer Accused of Attacking Man Brings Counter Charge. Attorney-General May Act.

Earl Beach, deputy collector and inspector of customs at Calexico, had an altercation recently with a Mexican saloon porter at the International boundary line, when the Mexicali man resisted inspection. Mr. Beach is charged with making an assault.

The Attorney-General, exercising his legal authority as defending counsel for a Federal officer accused in a court of lower jurisdiction of a misdeamnor, may be called on to defend Mr. Beach. A request has been made upon the Attorney-General to supply counsel for Mr. Beach, who it is alleged was assaulted, when in the performance of his duty.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
[Advertising.]

National Circulation—The Midwinter number of The Times. Better than ever, out January 1, 1915, presents splendid opportunities to discerning classified advertisers. Many future residents depend on the accurate information it contains and invest in the many choice properties offered in its classified advertising columns. Five cents a word. All classifications close December 20, 1914. Rates for display advertising furnished on application.

For quick action drop answers to Times "liners" in Times' liner boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "liner" section.

Guaranteed coal, $12; two tons, $11.50; wood, $12, three tiers. Full-weight Fuel Co., F1111 or Main 1111.

The Times Branch Office. No. 619 South Spring street. Advertisements and subscriptions taken.

Fine hair goods at special prices. Hair tinting a specialty. MacDonald's, 204 Mercantile place.

Cicero Stevens, Dentist, 307 Washington Bldg., corner 3rd and Spring.

—and the Worst Is Yet to Come

The Exclusive Specialty House for Feminine Apparel
Garments of Style, Quality and Lowest Prices

Myer Siegel & Co.
443-445-447 South Broadway

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ROTARY PRIZES:
Prize No. 1, to Mrs. Mary Skeels, 136 East Avenue 55.
Prize No. 2, to Mrs. J. D. Machomick, 1516 West 47th St.

Suits at $15.75

A special offering of women's and misses' Suits that you cannot afford to overlook.

Suits with Velvet, Broadtail or Fur trimming—in materials and styles, quite the newest and you would naturally expect to pay $30.00 or more.
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We have fourteen different patterns, each complete—for you to choose from. The Washington, the Etruscan, the Old French, and the Paul Revere are some of these.

Include table silver in your Christmas list—and look for it here.

For your convenience, this store will be open evenings, beginning Saturday, December the 19th.

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Something Full Dress or some of the accessories necessary for formal attire make practical and acceptable Christmas Gifts. These bear the mark of quality and are inexpensive.

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Has this list any suggestions for your Christmas shopping?

Andirons	$2.25 to $40
Fire Screens	$3.00 to $50
Casseroles	$2.50 to $ 9
Carving Sets	$1.75 to $18
Tool Chests	$4.00 to $30
Pocket Knives	$ .50 to $ 5

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 16.—[Reported by Fred A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.97; at 5 p.m., 29.91. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 49 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 64 per cent.; 5 p.m., 36 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 10 miles; 5 p.m., northeast, velocity 20 miles. Highest temperature, 69 deg.; lowest, 47 deg. Rainfall for season, 2.34 inches; for storm, .10 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The western as well as the northeast area of high pressure now covers all of the United States except the coast of California. The weather over the greater part of the country is therefore clear and cold, the temperature reading from 24 deg. below at Williston, near the Canadian boundary, to 30 deg. above at New Orleans. The highest temperature reported at any station in the United States Wednesday morning was 49 deg. (at Los Angeles.) Making a range of 73 deg. between this city and that recording the lowest temperature at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning. The only precipitation of consequence in the United States fell at San Luis Obispo, which was the result of an area of low pressure now off the California coast. It is expected that this depression will give Los Angeles and vicinity showers Thursday.

SPECIAL EVENING BULLETIN.—Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 16, 1914. The California storm is extending slowly eastward, with its center still at sea, probably off the Central California coast. Rain reported from San Francisco to San Diego. The greatest rainfall, .20 of an inch, fell at San Luis Obispo, and the least, .02 of an inch, at San Diego. The further upward movement of this barometric depression will be attended by rain in Los Angeles and vicinity, with fresh to high southeasterly winds tonight and Thursday. At 8 P.M. storm warnings were ordered to Ventura, Redondo, Avalon, Long Beach and San Pedro, flags to be hoisted at sunrise. The rain at Los Angeles for the storm up to 5 p.m. was .38 of an inch, making 2.58 inches for the season. The normal seasonal to date is 2.89 inches.

FORD A. CARPENTER, Local Forecaster.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Showers Thursday; northerly winds, veering to southwesterly.

For California south of the Tehachapi: Unsettled weather Thursday; probably rain.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Rain Thursday; brisk southeast wind.

Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys: Rain Thursday; fresh southerly wind.

Santa Clara Valley: Rain Thursday; fresh southeast wind.

California south of the Tehachapi: Rain Thursday; fresh southeast wind, high on the coast.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16. — Forecast for Arizona: Rain or snow Thursday and probably Friday.

YUMA (Ariz.), Dec. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 16.10 feet.

PERSONALS.

W. S. Winnman, lumber dealer of Calgary, Alberta, and E. Cohn, banker, and Mrs. Cohn of Salt Lake City are among the guests at the Lankershim.

J. C. Woods, lumber dealer of Seattle, is at the Angelus and also H. D. Thomas, dry goods dealer of Chicago; L. A. Mullarky, cattle dealer of Winslow; and Fred Rowalt, shoe dealer of Boston.

The guests at the Hollenbeck include N. J. Thompson, mine operator of Minot, N. D.; J. B. McCarthy, insurance agent of San Francisco; and Dr. W. E. Phelps of Redlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heston Peirson have closed their house on West Edgeware road and are at Hotel Alexandria until their new home, No. 513 West King street, Monrovia, is completed.

S. M. Fullon, Pacific Coast representative for the Santa Fe Refrigerator Car Service with headquarters in San Francisco, is at the Hayward accompanied by Mrs. Fullon. R. E. Nixon and W. Y. King, hotel operators of Seattle, are at the same hotel.

Among the arrivals at the Clark yesterday were Col. George De La Vergne, U.S.A.; Mrs. Lloyd Allen Johnson and Mrs. W. P. Gould, wives of army officers from Vincennes, Ind.; J. N. Schuster, cattle dealer of El Paso; and A. K. Fischer, grain broker of Chicago.

Christmas Gifts
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and colors, pair, 25c.
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to $1.00.
hemstitched, hand-worked letters, initials, corded borders, 3 in
hemstitched, pure linen, ¼
Men's Umbrellas
$3.50, $5.00, $6.50 and up.
Men's Gloves
for street
Leather Goods for M
find a score of useful things
Cases, Tie or Handkerchief Boxes, Bill Books and other th
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popular color and kind of fur do you imagine, could delight of Furs? She will be as proud season. Buy today and save
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The Los Angeles Times

XLIIIrd YEAR. THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1914.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION [illegible]

Apropos.

TED MAN OF MINING TAKEN.

of Guggenheim Group Dead in this City.

Beatson, Once Owner of the Big Bonanza.

of Alaska's Copper is a Monument to Him.

[illegible] ongering sickness of several [illegible] Andrew K. Beatson, associ- [illegible] the Guggenheims in valu- [illegible] mining properties and [illegible] of the Fifty Associates, a [illegible] corporation, died yesterday [illegible] of the California Hospital. [illegible] been residing at the Hotel [illegible]. A pioneer in the develop- [illegible] of mining in Alaska, he was [illegible] known in mining circles of [illegible]. He came to California with [illegible] in 1898 and engaged in [illegible] business as a very young [illegible]

[illegible] early years of his career were [illegible] those of a mining man, many [illegible] failures and disappoint- [illegible] with the few trivial suc- [illegible] In 1901 he was appointed su- [illegible] of the Big Bend Tunnel [illegible] Company, of which Dr. [illegible] was the head. He re- [illegible] with this corporation for a [illegible] than ten years and super- [illegible] construction of the 12,000- [illegible] which now drains the [illegible] and is the source of [illegible] the Great Western Power [illegible] operating in the San Fran- [illegible] district.

[illegible] heard of the wealth of min- [illegible] Alaska, he went to that Ter- [illegible] 1906 and less than a year [illegible] discovered and located the Big [illegible] group of copper claims on La [illegible] Alaska. He immediately be- [illegible] development of the property [illegible] the assistance of the late [illegible] Robertson of New York, suc- [illegible] acquiring all of the claims [illegible] on the Islands. In 1910 [illegible] disposition of the property

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Andrew K. Beatson,

One of the Guggenheim group in mining circles, who died in this city yesterday.

OUTWITTING NATURE.

Southern Pacific Building a Bridge that Won't Wash Out, Says Assistant General Manager.

Expenditure of $200,000 by the Southern Pacific to gauge its bridges to the flood-tread of California streams is now being made in his district alone, stated Assistant General Manager Platt of that road yesterday.

"We believe that the floods last winter went to possible crest," said Mr. Platt, "and so are putting in permanent structures to the stream gauge they set."

All bridges being put in are through steel girders, with concrete foundations, and in a number of cases replace pile structures. In nearly every case the total length of new spans is about twice the length of the "spanway" of the old bridges. Work on these bridges is rapidly nearing completion.

The most important bridge work is near Caliente, at Ventura and Santa Barbara, and at the crossings of the Salinas River and Aciemento Creek. All these are places where floods cut Southern Pacific lines last winter.

Wave-tossed.

SEARCHLIGHTS SCOUR SEAS.

Seek Open Boat with Party Adrift in Storm.

Five Persons Imperiled When Motor Goes Dead.

Three Women Exposed to Fury of Elements.

Drifting in a disabled open boat from Redondo Beach in a sea lashed to fury by a fierce offshore gale, five persons, including three women, are being sought early this morning by the cruiser Denver, which is sweeping the waves with its powerful searchlight in response to a call for assistance from City Marshal Mosher of Redondo Beach.

In the party are Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blake, their daughter Harriet, aged 17; their son August, aged 10, and Ruth Smith, aged 11, all of Redondo Beach.

With Tim O'Donough, they went abalone fishing yesterday at Rocky Point, about three miles below the last wharf. On the return at 4 o'clock their motor, operating the twenty-two-foot open skiff, went dead a mile offshore and a half-mile from pier No. 3. They hastily cast off two twenty-five-pound anchors, which appeared to hold, and O'Donough went ashore in a small skiff to bring assistance. When he returned, the boat was nowhere in sight.

Giving the alarm, O'Donough and three other men in the boat put to sea in their launch to search for the missing boat. Two other launches, with four men each, joined the search. The three launches scoured the coast for ten miles below Rocky Point and five miles offshore in the direction the wind was blowing, but shortly before midnight returned without having seen a trace of the missing boat. The launches had a hard time putting back to land and had to fight the sea every foot of the way.

Then it was that Marshal Mosher thought of the naval vessels at the harbor. He sent a distress message to the officers in port. They answered favorably.

Early this morning a wireless message was received from Lieut. Metcalf in charge of the torpedo boat flotilla at Redondo Beach stating that he was laying to with his boats ready to take up the search as soon as the light permits.

Mr. Blake is a traveling salesman for a Los Angeles packing-house and had taken a day off to go fishing with his family. The boat used was a large skiff converted into a launch by the placing of a marine motor in the stern. For comparatively calm weather it is seaworthy, but in the heavy gale of last night it is believed it could not live the night out, especially in the channel, where the waves had gathered sweep from the north winds.

Those at Redondo Beach who believe the boat wethered the storm say it must have been blown toward the Channel Islands, but others fear the boat was swamped soon after O'Donough left it. At any rate, if the boat is still afloat, the occupants must be suffering terribly from cold and rain.

ITS DYING WAIL.

Charter Amendment Election Formally Laid at Rest as Council Lets Time Lapse.

The proposed charter amendment election is now thoroughly buried, thanks to the failure of the City Council yesterday to resuscitate the year-end pest, which had been before the Council for some weeks.

Councilman Conwell, head of the Efficiency Commission, made a final attempt to get his colleagues to reconsider the vote by which the ordinance was killed. He suggested that objections were made to the ideas proposed rather than to the plan of holding an election. It was up to the people to say, he remarked, whether the ideas should or should not be enacted into law.

Councilman Wheeler talked much along the sace line, and his colleagues listened, but that was all.

Failure of the Council to reopen the matter yesterday puts a quietus on the proposed election. It will now be impossible for the revival of the ordinance and no election on amendments can be held for about two years. However, it is believed that in the meantime a movement will be started to adopt an entirely new charter.

Latent.

TO EVOLVE OUR NATIVE MUSIC.

Long Step Toward it to be Taken in this City.

Head of National Federation of Clubs is Here.

Completing Arrangements for Convention Next June.

Devoted exclusively to the development of a school of music, American in theme and mode of expression, and to the encouragement of performers of native birth and education, the

Mrs. Julius Eugene Kinney,

President of the National Federation of Musical Clubs, who arrived here yesterday to complete arrangements for the ninth biennial convention of the great organization, to be held next June. Mrs. Kinney heads a hundred thousand musical women.

LOVE TRIUMPHS OVER SICKBEDS.

TWO WOMEN BECOME BRIDES, DOCTORS AND NURSES STANDING BY.

Lying prostrate in their sick beds, two women became brides last night, one in a hospital, with nurses and doctors standing by, and the other in the home of a friend, and under circumstances that may have dire results. In each case did Cupid battle with sickness, and nobly did he win the fight, for physicians said after the ceremonies that in their opinion the convalescence of the brides would undoubtedly be hastened by their new happiness.

Miss May Word, practically an invalid for more than two years, and suffering greatly from nervous prostration, but who of late has seemed to be on the road to recovery, braved fate at 7:45 o'clock last night, when she wedded George W. Ballard, a wealthy land owner of Carpinteria, Dean MacCormack officiating. The marriage took place in the home of Mrs. E. H. Pomeroy, No. 111 South Virgil avenue. It was stated last night that this bride is an heiress, and may be disinherited because of the marriage. Soon, however, she hopes to forget her worries, for the doctor told her that she will probably be well enough in a few days to take a wedding trip to some far place.

The other marriage took place in the Sisters' Hospital. James A. Sickner took Mary Marter as his bride while she lay on a sick bed. Both are of Beverly Glen. Justice Summerfield officiated.

BALANCING THE ELEMENTS.

Nature Will be Given a Place in Future Hearings Involving Contested Land Claims.

In affirming the judgment of the Register and Receiver of the Local Land Office in the case of Lydia Oxford against the heirs of Laura E. Washburn in favor of the contestees and involving a quarter section of land in the Imperial Valley, the General Land Office has laid down an important rule to govern in future contests in which the question of whether the proper amount of work has been done on the claim is involved.

Heretofore a number of contests have been filed in such cases, years after the work was done, and on account of the facts that nature had destroyed the evidences of the work the contestees have sometimes lost their cases. In the case at bar four years passed from the time that the work was done until the contest was started and in the meantime the bordering and leveling had disappeared. The Washington authorities hold that it could not be truthfully said that the labor had not been done on evidence furnished by persons who had seen the land long after it was completed.

First Lobby.

TO SWAP IDEAS ON LEGISLATION

City Council and Civic Bodies Meet Lawmakers.

Chamber of Commerce Host at a Conference.

Republicans to Hold Caucus on the Speakership.

The Chamber of Commerce will be host tomorrow and Saturday at an open forum for the City Council and all civic organizations in Los Angeles which have ideas on desired legislation to be enacted this winter at Sacramento. Into the hopper will be poured suggestions, plans, schemes, ideas and ideals, while the lawmakers from eight Southern California counties sit by and take notes.

State Senator-elect H. Stanley Benedict will probably be elected chairman of the meeting to give a semblance of organization to the informal convention. Assemblyman-elect A. L. Bartlett has been mentioned as secretary.

The Public Welfare Committee of the Council will submit through the City Attorney a number of ideas regarding amendments to the Vrooman Act and to create new laws simplifying the matter of public improvements.

Among the requests for legislation is one comprising an amendment to the existing law creating a central place in each city where property owners may pay their assessments upon improvements. As an argument in favor of this alteration in the existing Vrooman Act, it is recalled that a number of property owners in Los Angeles were recently required to go to Pasadena to pay at the office of a contractor the assessments levied against their property. Pasadena property owners have been required to pay assessments in Los Angeles, and incidents have occurred around the San Francisco Bay region, where property owners have fattened the coffers of the ferries going to and from contractors' offices to pay assessments.

TO HIT "LAND HAWKS."

Another idea that will be suggested is that in the sale of realty for the unpaid assessment thereon the city has the first right of purchase.

This is calculated to eliminate the loan shark and the "land hawks" who have made fat capital out of property that has been sold for unpaid assess-

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J. B. Blackstone Co.

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Men's Vegetable Silk Hose — Look for all [illegible] like silk and feel like silk; extremely serviceable. [illegible] and colors, pair, 25c.

Men's Handkerchiefs — Of pure linen, ¼ to ½ inch hem; every price [illegible] to $1.00.

[illegible] hand-worked letters, 25c to $1.00.

[illegible] corded borders, 3 in box for $2.00.

[illegible] hemstitched, pure linen, ¼ or ½ in. hem, 12½c.

Men's Umbrellas — Of pure, good wearing silk; dozens of attractive handle de- [illegible] $3.50, $5.00, $6.50 and up.

Men's Gloves — Gloves of the most reliable kinds for street or driving.

Leather Goods for Men — At this important section you [illegible] a score of useful things for men—real necessities— [illegible] Cases, Tie or Handkerchief Cases, Playing Cards, [illegible] Bill Books and other things of use beautifully en- [illegible] in leather.

Children's Furs Reduced 1-3

[illegible] popular color and kind of fur for the little folks. And [illegible] do you imagine, could delight the little lady more than [illegible] of Furs? She will be as proud as a peacock—and with [illegible] reason. Buy today and save a third.

Juniors and Children's Coats all 1-4 Less

[illegible] one-season reduction is made in order to give those [illegible] inclined a chance to secure a new winter coat [illegible] prototypes at season-end prices. The styles, materials [illegible] are the newest and best to be had anywhere, and [illegible] the prices speak for themselves.

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[illegible] Tailored dresses of serge, challie, velvet, shepherd [illegible] plain and plaid combinations, etc.; all new and pretty, [illegible] Sizes 6 to 14 years. Regular prices $7.50 to [illegible] less 25 per cent.

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[illegible] one of these dainty French Flower Bouquets to wear on [illegible] All kinds, every color, packed in a pretty little band- [illegible] Millinery Section.

[illegible] South Broadway

Railroad Achievement.

BRIDGE FUNERAL RANGE; PIERCING DEATH VALLEY.

OVER beyond the Panamint Range, in the cellar of the world, events of import to the mining interests of the State are taking place, according to W. B. Hinchman, assistant to Traffic Manager Jenifer of the Tonopah and Tidewater Railroad, who is here to arrange for moving the company's general offices from Oakland to this city.

Defying what many location engineers believed was an unsurmountable mountain barrier, the Tonopah and Tidewater, this week completed and put in operation a line across the perpendicular-walled Funeral Mountains from Death Valley Junction. This is not only the first railroad line to penetrate Death Valley, but is unique in that a portion of it is father below sea level than any other road in the world.

On the heels of the railroad's advent into a land where for ages the coyote and the desert-lark were the sole denizens, a town, Devar, has sprung into life near the tip end of the line. It occupies what might be called the mezzanine floor of the valley, for it is only 200 feet below sea level, whereas the lowest spot in the sink is 480 feet below mean tide.

Devar is a thriving little town, according to Mr. Hinchman. It already boasts a hotel, constructed from lumber carried out by construction trains, and an aggregation of prospectors' "shacks" which house more than 100 men. Near by the Pacific Coast Borax Company is constructing a $500,000 reduction plant to handle the product of its Biddy McCarthy mine, to reach which the railroad was constructed. The Pacific Mineral Products Company also has a talc mine on the new line, while the Acme Cement Plaster Company is developing holdings on the new road. Both are Los Angeles concerns.

"The prospectors are not gold-hunting, except incidentally," said Mr. Hinchman. "They are out for traces of silica, kaolin, orchres, potashes, nitrates, radium and baser minerals. They are the grubstaked scouts for the commercial world and more of them are going in every day to turn the valley over and see what it has inside. They have been riding out ever since the line has been under construction and then treking in."

The new line, which is known under the imposing title of Death Valley Railroad, is but twenty miles in length, but cost over $200,000 to build. The high construction cost resulted from the necessity of swinging the steel rails into narrow canyons, where the walls had to be shelved to provide space for right of way. Some of the trials of the builders are evident from the fact that the engineers underestimated the cost of the railroad to the extent of nearly $100,000.

Starting from Death Valley Junction, the new line runs in a general northwesterly direction through the mountains in a long series of curves, then debouches into the valley on a gentle slope downward toward the floor.

CASES IN BANKRUPTCY.

Man Under Federal Indictment and Against Whom Big Judgment was Given Seeks Liquidation.

W. F. Gates, who schedules himself as a music teacher, and is under indictment by the Federal grand jury, with C. A. Elder and others, in connection with the affairs of the Los Angeles Investment Company, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday. His debts consist of the judgment taken in the Superior Court, October last, in the case of the Los Angeles Investment Company, against the petitioner, amounting to $32,502.73. His only assets scheduled are household goods, books, etc., a watch and chain and a stick pin, all estimated to be worth $360, and alleged to be exempt.

A. P. Welcome, conducting the Empire Livery and Auto Company, at Nos. 739-45 South Los Angeles street, also filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday. His debts are given at $11,726.65, and his assets at $22,399.50. The latter includes unliquidated claims of $11,200; carriages worth $5375, and due on accounts $1234.50.

Schedules of Guy F. Kelsey, operating as the Guy F. Kelsey Company, No. 818 South Los Angeles street, were filed in the United States District Court. His liabilities amount to $20,169.84, of which $20,169.84 are unsecured, and the assets are fixed at $8425.85. The stock is valued at $2535.60; due on account, $1705.80, and insurance policies of $2000.

Mollie Herman of Bakersfield, dealer in ladies' clothing, also filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday. The debts are given at $2342.11, and the assets at $2135, of which $1400 is the stock in trade.

meeting of the National Federation of Musical Clubs in this city in ninth biennial convention, June 24 to July 3, 1915, promises to be a musical event without parallel in our history, according to Mrs. Julius Eugene Kinney, of Denver, president of the organization. She arrived here yesterday to complete arrangements for the big gathering.

Head of an organization whose membership numbers more than 100,000 persons, with more than a score of subsidiary organizations, Mrs. Kinney, who, with her husband, Dr. Kinney, is staying at the Howell Terrace Apartments, spoke most enthusiastically yesterday about the formative work attempted by the Federation, with the aid of the society for the promotion of opera in English. This latter body will meet with the Federation for the first time in this city next year.

"America has pioneered the way in so many fields that we have great hopes of creating an American school of music," said Mrs. Kinney. "We have the raw material, our legends, our legacies of rhythm from the Indian and the negro, our rag-time from the latter, for instance. We also have composers and performers of caliber sufficient, I believe, to make use of and express what might be our national capacity for innate song. We yant to make Americas's soul life vocal, as it were."

GREAT OPERA'S PREMIERE.

Climaxing the 1915 gathering and featuring Los Angeles, as Mrs. Kinney said, as the Bayreuth of America, there will be produced here on July 1, for the first time, the $10,000 prize opera "Fairyland." This opera won first place in the contest conducted by the Federation for compositions by American composers and the organization is pledged to expend $50,000 on its production.

"Its premiere will draw noted musical figures from all over the world," said Mrs. Kinney.

According to present arrangements, the premiere of the opera, the music of which is by Prof. Horatio Parker, head of the music department of Yale University and the book by Brian Hooker, will be followed by a production, July 2, and a matinee, July Then, if the demand is sufficient, the opera will run one week. An effort is being made to secure Temple Auditorium, for the production.

Aside from this, the entire afternoon and evening programmes of the Federation and allied organizations will be given up to the rendition, in chamber music and other forms, of compositions by American composers, performed by artists schooled in this country. All concert work will be directed, so far as possible, by the composers themselves.

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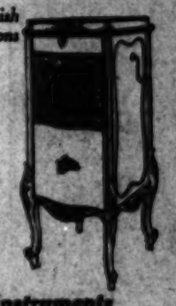

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NUTALL DEFENSE SCORES HEAVILY.

Brakes on Fatal Auto Worked Badly, Says Witness.

Nikrent Springs a Surprise on Both Sides.

Facts Surrounding Death of Mrs. McCombs Told.

The defense in the Nutall murder case scored heavily yesterday afternoon in Judge Craig's court when Louis Nikrent, the automobile racer, who was nosed out of first place in the Phoenix classic by Barney Oldfield, testified that the brakes on the automobile driven by Nutall on Lookout Mountain failed to work properly after the tragedy. Nikrent's testimony came as a big surprise to both the prosecution and the defense.

Nutall has claimed from the start that the brakes were not working right and that he lost control of the machine and Mrs. Helen McCombs jumped out and was instantly killed, while he escaped without injury. The prosecution declares that not only is the grade not steep enough to make an automobile run away, but that brakes would not be applied in such circumstances as Nutall alleges occurred before and during the accident or murder. Kenneth Nikrent, brother of the racer, also testified that the brakes would not work when the Nutall machine was going faster than ten miles an hour. The Nikrents were sent out to bring the car back to Los Angeles.

Nutall leaned over and whispered in his mother's ear while Louis Nikrent was testifying. Counsel for the defense declare that Nikrent's evidence alone will free the accused. Deputy District Attorney Shannon says Nikrent's testimony is of no importance. He declared it folly for Nutall to contend that on such a straight piece of road and at such a grade that his car should become unmanageable, even if his brakes refused to work at all. He said he will prove by experts that the brakes would not be applied in such circumstances at all—where a car had stopped on the road, as Nutall claims.

The first witness called yesterday was William M. Johnson, a surveyor. He exhibited a map of the death trail and the surrounding territory. This map added to the first-hand knowledge the jurors obtained when they visited the scene Tuesday afternoon and gave them a comprehensive knowledge of the district.

DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

K. R. Rublee, a real estate man, testified to having passed the aged Mrs. McCombs and the youthful Nutall riding together in a machine on the canyon road. He passed them going down and stopped at a garage at the foot of the mountain. Shortly afterward he heard a crash and, running out, saw a battered automobile, which had come to a standstill in the road after rebounding from a bluff at the side of the road. Mrs. McCombs's lifeless body was lying near the machine and Nutall was laying farther up the slight grade. He was not scratched, according to doctors, although he is alleged to have feigned serious injuries.

Mr. Rublee stood up well under a hot cross-examination by Attorney Domingues, who is defending Nutall. F. M. Rublee, a brother of the witness, and Frank Martin, who were also at the garage at the time, testified to substantially the same conditions.

The love letters written by Nutall to the wealthy widow shortly before her death were read. Nutall asked her to marry him, although he was a married man at the time. He also asked her for money.

Mr. Shannon said that he wished to introduce as evidence the brakes of the Nutall car. Attorney Domingues stated that he would fight the introduction of the brake. Judge Craig said he would hear arguments and rule later.

UNDER THREE MARSHALS.

Man Who Served Here as Chief Deputy for Several Years Dies in San Diego.

H. T. Christian, who died suddenly of heart disease in San Diego yesterday, was a familiar figure about the Federal Building in this city, where he served thirteen years as chief deputy under United States Marshals Covarrubias, Osborn and Youngworth. He severed his connection with the office in 1908, when he retugned to San Diego, and served as United States Commissioner from September of that year, by appointment of Judge Wellborn.

Mr. Christian was well-known to attorneys especially in Los Angeles, and had many friends. In the recent contest for United States Marshal he was a prominent candidate. Mr. Christian was about 60 years of age.

Some of his old Los Angeles friends about the Federal Building will attend the funeral services.

Mining Man Taken.

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was made, the Guggenheim interests having taken over a large share of the stock and the company was given the name of the Beatson Copper Company, with principal offices in New York City.

Shortly afterwards, Mr. Beatson retired from the active management of the company and from business life. With his wife he passed several years in travel, coming to Los Angeles finally to make his permanent home. Early in 1914 he was induced to re-enter business with the new incorporation, the Fifty Associates, a company dealing with the financing of commercial enterprises. Because of his extensive experience in the business world, he was named president, a position he occupied at the time of his death.

Mr. Beatson was a native of New York City. He was born July 7, 1854, the son of Dr. and Mrs. James Robertson Beatson. He married late in life Miss Flora MacDonald, the wedding having taken place on October 7, 1908. His widow, in addition to a brother, James Beatson of Los Angeles, and a half-sister, Miss A. Gregory, residing in Oakland, are the only near relatives who survive him.

The exact size of his fortune is not known, even to Mrs. Beatson. It is largely invested in stocks and bonds. The Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank has been named executor of the state, which will be settled immediately.

The funeral service will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Pierce chapel, No. 810 South Flower street. The body, in fulfillment of his last wishes, will be reduced to ashes at the Los Angeles Crematory.

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POLICE BAND'S GOOD FORTUNE.

PHILANTHROPIST BUYS A SET OF FINE INSTRUMENTS AS A GIFT.

The Los Angeles Police Department band is to have a complete set of fine new instruments, some of silver and gold. They will be purchased today by a local philanthropist at a cost of more than $1500, and it is expected they will be turned over to the band within the next month.

The philanthropist, who modestly requested that his name not be mentioned in connection with the substantial Christmas gift, said last night that he has taken keen interest in the band and was prompted to purchase the instruments by his desire to see it become one of the best in the country.

Since the band was organized four months ago the members have been practicing faithfully and they bid fair to become a pride of the city. Los Angeles is the second city in the United States to be able to boast of a police band, the first being New York.

Musicians who have heard the band in practice declare there is excellent material among the members, some of them showing unusual talent. H. J. Wallis, the leader, has had considerable experience and it is believed will make a most creditable showing in a very short time. The personnel of the band is: Sergts. Wallace, Graham, Tyler, Smith, Walls, Jarves and Hartmeyer, who is the drum major; Patrolmen Cato, T. O. Pratt, Gardner, Riggs, Aubely, Dawson, Dutton, Thompson, Haddox, Blue, Boaz, F. L. Pratt, Bhoff, Wearne, Knight, Denny, Eaton, Berry, Wishman, Murphy, West, Condes, Ackley and Hotch.

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SCHOOL CLINIC REQUIRES AID.

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With its funds rapidly ebbing and wholly dependent upon the philanthropy of the community for support, the Parent-Teacher Clinic is facing its annual period of depression. The organization is exclusively devoted to the giving of medical treatment to school children whose parents are unable to employ private physicians or surgeons. Such aid has been rendered more than 8000 little ones in the last four years. Money is now needed to carry on this work. Whence it is to come those at the head of the institution do not know, but a few days ago were given a glimmer of hope when local representatives of the Curtis Publishing Company proposed to donate to it all of the profits from the sale of the January number of one of America's leading magazines.

Several hundred school boys and girls have joined in the good cause and with the regular vendors of the publication, expect to sell enough of the magazines by next Saturday night to be able to turn over between $500 and $1000 to the clinic. Arrangements have been made to flood the principal thoroughfares of the city Saturday with the magazines and Grant Dunlap, manager of the campaign for the publishing concern, said last night indications point to a tremendous sale.

An investigation of the Parent-Teacher Clinic was made yesterday by a representative of The Times and an interview with Mrs. Elizabeth McManus, chairman of the institution, elicited the following facts:

POTENT FACTS.

The Parent-Teacher Clinic is not operated for the benefit of surgery or medical science. Its fundamental principle is to aid school children whose parents are not financially able to employ private physicians or surgeons; students of surgery or medicine are never allowed to practice therein. In fact, only men and women of established reputation, those who are recognized as leaders in their profession, are allowed to administer to the little ones, notwithstanding that all but two of them donate their services free of all charge.

The institution was opened in March, 1911, and more than 8000 children have been treated there.

The most prevalent diseases among the school children are those affecting the eye, ear, throat and teeth.

Two dentists under regular salary are on duty every day from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

On Tuesdays and Fridays from 1 to 3 p.m., specialists are there ready to administer to the children suffering from eye, ear, nose or throat trouble. During the same hours a general clinic is held.

On Wednesday from 9 a.m. until noon an osteopath is on duty and in the afternoon of the same day, from 1 to 2 o'clock, treatments are given for defective speech.

The Board of Education erected the building, which is located on the grounds of the old Children's Hospital at Castelar and Alpine streets and no rental is charged. The board also pays the salaries of the two dentists, one assistant and a matron. Other expenses which the institution must meet and for which there is no regular appropriation are incurred in the purchase of all dental supplies, eye glasses, drugs, surgical instruments, laundry work, the general upkeep of the place and many other things.

It costs less than $1500 per year to meet these expenses. Last year public school teachers donated $1075 to the cause. Manual Arts High School gave a benefit entertainment recently at which $300 was raised for the institution.

Mrs. McManus said there are some people who have the impression that it is compulsory that school children be treated at the clinic. She said this is untrue, as children are not admitted to the institution unless approval has been given by parent or guardian.

WHAT IS DONE.

When the parent of a child is able to pay a small amount for treatment and still is unable to pay the fees regularly charged by physicians in private practice, he is allowed to donate one-fourth of the usual amount. The great majority of children, however, are treated without any cost to their parents.

An illustration of the work performed at the clinic is given in the totals for the year commencing May 1, 1913, and ending on May 1, 1914. These figures show that 927 children were given dental treatment; 669, eyes; 238, ears; 20, speech, while 109 were treated by an osteopath.

The building in which the treatments are given is ideally arranged but entirely inadequate for the work. The number of cases show a big increase each year and in the few small rooms of the present institution the physicians and surgeons find themselves cramped. The building is absolutely sanitary and kept in perfect condition, but there is a crying need for larger quarters and a new location is much desired. To reach the clinic it is necessary to wade through an unkempt portion of the city and the surroundings are not of the best.

"We are hoping that the time is not far distant when we will be given a better and more suitable location," said Mrs. McManus. "This matter is being worked out by some charitable people now and it is possible that a change will be made in the near future."

POSSIBLE SLAYING CASE.

Father is Arrested as Dope Smoker, Son Says His Mother was Killed in Old House.

The police are investigating an account given yesterday by Jose Lopez, 12-year-old son of Pedro Lopez, of a possible murder five months ago in a house in Aliso street. The elder Lopez was arrested yesterday for smoking marihuana and his three children, Jose, Juarvano and Leandra, were taken into custody by the juvenile bureau.

The boy says his mother was murdered before his eyes. Investigation showed that the house was not occupied for several days, but no trace of violence was found. The investigation will be continued.

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To Swap Ideas.

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ments, often without the knowledge of the owner. It is argued that if the city acquires this property by purchase it will stand between the property owner and the ultimate loss of his property and will at the same time reap the profit of such a transaction instead of letting the money go to individuals who make a business of picking up just such property.

The City Council will be at the conference and will have many other ideas. Other departments of the municipal government will be on hand to discuss features of proposed legislation.

Many organizations in the city will send committees to the conference, at which time the whole programme of Southern California's desires in the way of new laws or amended old ones will be discussed.

While the lawmakers of eight counties are assembling for the suggestion conference they are also deeply concerned in the fight over the Speakership of the Assembly, which is impending.

C. C. Young, Speaker at the last session, a "Progressive," is an avowed candidate for re-election. The make-up of the coming House happens to find the "Progressives" in the minority. And, since that party has declared against party lines, there is no reason why even the "Progressives," elected as such, should stand together.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The Republicans, who are in the majority, will hold a caucus at the Travelers' Hotel in Sacramento on January 3, the day before the opening of the Legislature. The Assemblymen will discuss the Speakership matter and probably will agree to support the majority choice of the caucus. Many of the Democrats have offered to aid the Republicans in the organization of the Assembly.

The principal names mentioned by Republicans in the race for Speaker are Milton L. Schmitt of San Francisco and Henry Ward Brown of Colma. Both are veterans in the Assembly and both are straight Republicans. Mr. Schmitt is an open candidate for the office, but no formal statement has been made by Mr. Brown as to his candidacy.

Harry A. Chamberlin, chairman of the Southern California Republican delegation in the Legislature, yesterday denied the report that the southern members have planned to support Mr. Brown for Speaker.

"Neither Mr. Brown nor Mr. Schmitt has asked for votes in this delegation, so far as I know," said Mr. Chamberlin. "It is quite likely that both of the candidates mentioned will get many votes from the south, but if there are any line-ups either for or against one or the other of these candidates I have failed to see them."

That there is a well-defined move on the part of Republicans to organize the Assembly there is no question. Speaker Young, say the Republican members, cannot be re-elected. Just who will get the support of the thirty-three Republicans and the eight or nine Democrats who will unite with them no one can say at this time.

IN ECHO PLAYGROUND.

Interesting Affairs Planned Include a Large Outdoor Christmas Entertainment Next Wednesday.

Organized for the purpose of making the clubhouse a real social center, the council of presidents of the Echo Park Playground Clubs is planning a number of interesting events for the winter, the first to be held next Wednesday. It will be an immense outdoor Christmas entertainment with a huge Christmas tree and an entertaining programme.

There will be two performances, the first at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and the second commencing at 8 o'clock. A stage will be built near the clubhouse while the tree will be placed in the center of the playground.

Music will be furnished by the Harmonica and Good Times Clubs. A Dutch dance in costumes will be given by Mamie Borrd and Mrs. W. R. Turner. The Echo Park Mothers' Club will present a playlet entitled "A Christmas Reunion," it to be staged under the direction of Mrs. E. A. Peck. The Busy Bee Club will give a poppy dance, the Four C Club will give a wand drill and the Kewpie Club will dance. In the evening motion pictures will add to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The members of the council are Dr. Maude Wilde, A. Ashe, Dorothea McCready, William Mollett, Edgar Morrison, Dorothy Wilde, L. Mitchell and Hazel Pollock.

COINCIDENCE OR WHAT?

Prowlers Caught by Police and Many Civilians in Nighties are Under Investigation.

The police are trying to determine whether Harry Hammer and Edward Kokes are victims of a coincidence or whether they were trying to force an entrance to an apartment-house at No. 825 South Hope street. The two men are in jail pending an investigation by Detective Kline. Their capture caused an undress parade early yesterday morning when W. E. Stark, at whose window the men are accused of prowling, led a score of men and women, clad only in their night clothes, in a chase after the men.

Mr. Stark was armed with a revolver and fired four shots at the men just before the police arrived. The undress parade assisted the flying squadron of the police in a chase through several back yards. The two were captured, but declare that they are not the men seen prying at the window. They are held as prowlers.

ON BOTH SIDES.

Contracting Concern in Bankruptcy Case Says its Attorneys Aid Creditors—Seeks Adjudication.

The tangled financial affairs of Langford, Felts & Myers, contractors of this city, will be aired in the United States District Court Monday, according to a motion filed yesterday to vacate adjudication of the estate on an involuntary bankruptcy petition, and the dismissal of the action.

The motion is based on the grounds that the creditor's petition for involuntary bankruptcy was improperly filed by the misconduct of the attorneys for the corporation, who appeared also as the attorneys for the petitioning creditors; that the petitioning creditors are not the proper creditors to file a petition in involuntary bankruptcy; that they had procured the execution of a chattel mortgage by the corporation whereby all property is mortgaged to one of the petitioning creditors for the benefit of all the creditors and a suit was brought in the Superior Court of Los Angeles county for the foreclosure of said mortgage.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) The inquiry for copper in the larger markets continues strong, with prices holding their advance. Steel is also undergoing a good demand, especially for fabricated kinds. Reports show a balance of more than $79,000,000 for the United States in November trade with foreign countries, which is an increase of about 40 per cent. over October. Dealing in stocks was quiet, but there were no wide fluctuations of prices. The German naval raid caused some apprehension as to the future safety of grain exports but export buying was even larger than before. Bank clearings here showed an increase of over $500,000 compared with the same day last year.

(Abroad:) The Austrian war loan is being rapidly subscribed. It is offered only to subjects of the dual monarchy. The French government admits the war is costing $200,000,000 a month, and provision is being made to continue the struggle another year.

(For details see financial pages.)

"EVASIVE AND VAGUE."

That is what authorities consider the answers of all the Mexicans in authority to this government's representations as to Naco. Bless you, this is not new. Every answer of Mexico to everything and everybody has been evasive and vague these many years.

INCONSIDERATE.

Villa, or somebody in his name, has caused the hanging of the Mayor and his two clerks at Fronteras. Now, what did he want to go and do that for? From personal observation we assure you that Fronteras is a cheerful placita of about a dozen adobe huts and not quite so many inhabitants. You can see for yourself what it would do to the population if you hanged the Mayor and two town clerks.

WHY NOT HOME TALENT?

Anent the disposition of the northern part of the State to use Los Angeles to rake its chestnuts from the coals, it may not be irrelevant to state that the management of the San Diego Exposition gave its $100,000 advertising appropriation to a Chicago firm. The contractors send men all the way from the Windy City to make sketches and to do other detail work on the advertising. Ask the Los Angeles Ad Club.

A NEAT TURN.

The popular song, "All Dressed Up and No Place to Go," was first sung in a very indifferent musical comedy in Los Angeles about five months ago. It was an immediate hit and David Warfield employed the term to get a laugh when he was here in "The Auctioneer." The always clever Alan Dale reversed it neatly in speaking of the bad business of some of the New York theaters lately. He said they were "All dressed up with no plays to show."

MEAL TICKET EMERITUS.

An astonishing number of women who want divorces have no desire to be separated from their husbands' wealth and wages. Whoever heard of a woman who wanted to be divorced from her alimony? The lady tells the court dramatically, "John and I have come to a parting of the ways," but she always wants John to pay from $40 to $1000 a month to sweeten the sorrow of their parting. John's love is dead, but his cash goes marching on. He is welcome to pay for the home he does not have. We dislike being sordid, but it strikes us that the great American institution of divorce is not without its sordid aspect. It is not always so, but in some cases a man is asked to remain a sort of a meal-ticket emeritus until the lady selects a new minister of finance.

ANIMAL ORDERS.

Something has happened to bring publicity to the Camels of the World, a national organization of which many people, doubtless, have never heard. The decency of many animals is no doubt good to follow. Camels for instance do not drink vodka. Perhaps somebody will start the Order of the Walrus Tooth because the walrus does not chew tobacco. By all means the incorporation of the Wild Cats and the Boa Constrictors should be effected at once because wild cats do not shake dice for cigars, and boa constrictors do not tango. There should also be an order of the Elephant's Eye because elephants do not play bridge or drink hard cider. The funds received as charter membership fees in each case might be employed to build a home for retired drivers of jitney busses.

THE PRICE OF HAM.

The Governor of Michigan has paroled a man who was given a life sentence for stealing a ham. The incident reminds us of something that happened to the late Bob Taylor when he was Governor of Tennessee. Along toward his third term he began to be known as the "Pardoning Governor." One day a woman, who was very old and very black, called at the Executive Mansion and demanded to see "Marse Bob." She got in and began her story at once. "Look here, Marse Bob," she said, "you-all don't want that wuthless niggah in you-all's pententiary; he ain't done nothin' but stole a ham." Gov. Taylor was much inclined to take her view of the situation, but he asked one question for conscience sake. "Auntie," he wanted to know, "if Bob is such a good for-nothing darky, why do you want him out?" He didn't wait long for his answer. She knew exactly why. "You see, Marse Bob," she said, "it's jes this way; we-all is about out of meat."

BRITAIN'S BOMBARDED CITIES.

"A city of pleasure." That's the way to describe Scarborough on the coast of Yorkshire, England, which the Germans bombarded yesterday. With its spa, its aquarium and its gilded grand hotel, Scarborough has become known as one of the most modern of English "watering places."

But attack is nothing new to Scarborough. It has sustained it many times. Far back in the days when English history was young the Danes captured it. First they took the castle by assault and from its great walls they dropped lighted brands upon the doomed town below. Since then the old fortress which stands upon a hill close to the seafront has withstood many a siege, and romantic are the tales of daring and also of woe which cling to the hoary pile.

The gay crowds of Britishers who, in the summer season, enjoy life in Scarborough's restaurants, listen to the bands or wander up and down the esplanade don't care much for such ancient history. Scarborough to them is a town for gaiety in summer and more or less somnolence in winter. The German cruisers appeared during the sleepy period and woke 'em up.

The grey North Sea breaks heavily upon the harbor walls of ancient Scarborough at this period of the year. Storms which smite upon the wharves and quays will send drifts of flaky foam, torn from the crests of the breakers, whipping past the red roofs of the old town. An English word-painter, Arthur H. Norway, once described Scarborough Castle in the following brilliant passage:

"As far as the dim skyline, where the stormy clouds hang down and touch the tossing waters, there is nothing but a wilderness of grey and angry sea; but out of the torn sky, coming I scarcely knew from whence, a gleam of sunshine falls upon the blackened castle ruin, so that its shattered walls begin to glow with a warm light which spreads and widens till, with a sudden burst of splendor, the sun is shining over all the hill, and the plumage of the seagulls wheeling up and down the cliff flashes nobly under the dark sky. It is thus that I love to think of Scarborough, that stern and blackened ruin which has tasted of the worst that Time can do, and still faces the storms of the North Sea as if it looked yet for the coming of the Danish pirate boats. It is a typical north country view, a little grim, a trifle lacking in that color which wins so many hearts for the softer west, but an outlook full of grandeur and of strong romance, one of those prospects whose very memory sends a certain throbbing through the heart, like the first sight of the abbey on the cliff at Whitby, or the hoary battlements of Bamborough darkened by the beating of a thousand winter storms."

It is interesting to note that not far from Scarborough is the ivy-clad Castle of Slingsby, the ancient home of the family now engaged in a lawsuit over the question of whether an infant born in California is really the child of the wife of Lieut. Slingsby or was substituted for a baby that died.

Weather-beaten is Whitby and famous for its great abbey, standing on the heights and scourged by every wind that blows. Perched on a noble ridge, this abbey, ruined and shattered long before German guns touched it, is regarded as one of the chief grandeurs of the English coast. In the hollow underneath the abbey a town grew up and fishermen built their houses about the harbor which runs inland like a deep gash among the lofty hills. Whitby is fortunate in its harbor, of which there are naturally but few on the Yorkshire coast north of the great inlet of the Humber. Scarborough is an artificial port; Whitby is a deep shelter for shipping carved out by the hand of nature.

In ancient days Whitby was a resort for pirates, and not infrequently Robin Hood and his merry men would make a descent on the town and capture some of the fishermen's ill-gotten gains. They tell yet at Whitby that the bold outlaw was a great favorite with the abbot, whom he used to amuse after dinner with displays of archery.

Scarborough and Whitby are in Yorkshire. Hartlepool is farther to the north in the County of Durham. It is on the north of Hartelpool Bay and is one of the most attractive, as well as modern, of the towns on England's north coast. A substantial seawall protects it from the inroads of the ever-ramming North Sea.

West Hartlepool, on the south of Hartlepool Bay, is even more important than Hartlepool. With its fine harbor, its extensive shipbuilding yards, marine engine building establishments and other industries it is a vigorous city. Particularly is it important as an outlet for the Durham coalfields. The coal export is about 1,500,000 tons annually.

CAUSES OF UNEMPLOYMENT.

The problem of the unemployed is how to rehabilitate the unfit and bring the jobless man in contact with the manless job. Every winter adds in every large city to the number of hungry, unsheltered, idle men and presents a problem with which municipalities and States and the nation must deal.

Bread lines, soup kitchens and other palliative measures lessen distress, but they do not offer a solution of the problem of the unemployed.

A study of statistics in New York City, which is a great social laboratory, resulted in the statement by the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor that of 6060 families in the care of the organization sickness and injuries furnished 75 per cent. of the dependents and intemperance 15 per cent. and the balance was furnished by old age.

The New York Department of Charities reported that the cause of the dependency of 1483 homeless men examined shows that the poverty of 13 per cent. resulted from permanent physical incapacity. Nine per cent. were physically incapacitated temporarily. Six per cent. were mentally incapacitated. Vagrancy and intemperance were responsible for 18 per cent. of the dependents. Termination, irregularity or unfavorable conditions of their employment forced 25 per cent. to ask the city for temporary help, while in the remaining 29 per cent. industrial and moral factors were so inextricably combined that it was impossible to ascribe the downfall of the individual to either one alone.

The superintendent of the Bureau of Relief of the association reported that of 208 men with families who applied for employment fifty-eight were unemployable, being unwilling or unable to keep a job, five were mentally defective, seven were too old to work, three were unwilling to work, and forty-three were handicapped physically. The remaining 150 were able-bodied and anxious to secure employment.

The North American Review, after stating this statistical information, says:

"One of the first important steps, then, in the solution of the unemployed problem should, in any State and municipality, be a thorough and comprehensive study of the character and capability of the homeless men and women who apply for relief. After these facts have been obtained, collated and studied, and after these statistics compiled by agencies dealing with dependent families have been gathered, we shall have some basis upon which to estimate the number of homeless applicants who are unemployable because of old age or other handicaps, the number of those who have legal residence in other localities and friends or relatives able to assist them with homes or work, the number of tramps, vagrants, inebriates and beggars, and the number of those who are aliens and should be returned by the Commissioner of Immigration as public dependents, in accordance with the law. With these facts in our possession we shall know how much and what kind of work we must do. We shall also realize the senselessness and injustice of some of the methods that our present laws, if enforced strictly, would compel us to adopt. We, too, shall be able to arouse public sentiment, now dormant, in favor of adequate and proper State and municipal care for those unfit and unfitted to work. And when these changes in law have been made and these needs provided by State and municipality, we shall discover that the solution of the remainder of the problem—to find work for the employable—will not be so large and so complex."

A local solution of the problem is offered by the State taking advantage of the Carey act and locating one million acres of land on the California side of the Colorado River and constructing a system of irrigating canals and reservoirs thereon. Employment could be furnished to thousands of men in excavating these canals, giving them food, shelter and, say, five dollars per week The State could recover the entire expenditure from settlers on the lands. An I.W.W. could be offered his choice of accepting a compensated job at ditch-digging or an uncompensated job on the rock pile, or a chance to leave the State p.d.q.

BRING THEM IN.

It does Woodrow Wilson, once a perfectly good college president, great credit that he does not insist on the literacy test for immigrants and it shows the ignorance of Congress that it does. You may take it in our case in California. A man might land on these golden shores who could not quote Pope's "Essay on Man" in English, yet who might know more about grape culture than any owner of a vineyard in this State. It could happen that an alligator pear expert from Honolulu would be unable to give us a free translation of Dante's "Inferno," but would be almost worth his weight in gold to the man who has big orchards of this salad fruit at Duarte or Altadena. Doesn't it appeal to you all that what we want of aliens and American-born citizens is a little common sense and a happy faculty for making a living? Oh, for a law and an examining board that could deal with aliens on this basis!

Saving the City Money.

MODIFYING THE SHERMAN LAW.

A proposition is before Congress to amend the Sherman law so as to permit United States exporters to form combinations. Such combinations exist among the exporters of other nations and United States exporters cannot compete with them in the world's markets unless placed on a similar footing.

The Committee on Trust Legislation of the United States Chamber of Commerce has been considering this question. "If," says the Boston Monitor, "American business men are found to be substantially agreed that a condition precedent to the setting up of larger foreign markets is this privilege of making trade combinations, the pressure on Congress for a suitable amendment of the law will be great. President Wilson, it is said, will favor that thing which, in the light of all the facts, seems wise—which is taken by business men to mean that he will favor the combinations, if assured that such legislation is in the interest of larger foreign markets for American goods."

In Germany the "cartel" system has been in existence for many years. It is not exactly a trust, although it resembles a trust in its operations. Under a "cartel" the German producers of any line of goods, such as steel or oil or paper, organize and fix the prices at which such goods may be sold abroad. There are also "cartels" of buyers who fix the prices they will pay for goods. Under the copper cartel that metal has been sold in Germany for half a cent a pound less than in the United States.

The Sherman law is a serious handicap to our export trade, and a judicious amendment of it would prove of great advantage to our commerce with foreign nations.

GENERAL SHRAPNEL.

The Christian nations believe in turning the other broadside to those who smite them.—[Louisville Courier-Journal.

That $17,000,000 English fund for the relief of war sufferers ought to cheer our proof-readers up some.—[Columbia State.

If the little Balkan States would only take a cure for the annexing habit it would save a lot of complications.—[Chicago Herald.

After the war Europe will have to recruit its aristocracy from the common people—if there are any left.—[Baltimore American.

A lot of religious bodies are meeting in Boston just now, and we must say that their discussions of the war have been most illuminating.—[Boston Transcript.

The Made-in-America movement may even extend to world-peace.—[Atlanta Constitution.

Good opportunity for Andrew Carnegie to present one of those libraries to Louvain.—[New York Evening Post.

A few more European wars and China's soil may yet be free of the invader.—[New York Evening Post.

The increasing activity of our steel mills seems to indicate that the Kaiser has placed the orders for next month's supply of iron crosses in America.—[Boston Transcript.

The $9,000,000 war indemnity collected by the Germans from the city of Brussels would feed the destitute Belgians all winter.—[Springfield Republican.

It begins to look as if Japan's promise to turn Kiao-Chow over to China has as many conditions attached to it as a Carranza resignation.—[Chicago Tribune.

There are evidences that the Army and Navy departments, in a highly peaceful way, are drawing a few wise conclusions from the European war.—[Chicago Herald.

THE BODY BEAUTIFUL.

BY GUSTAVE LINDEN.

Of all nations given to extravagant and unconscious waggishness America stands supreme. No other country than this can so ultimately lose itself in the mazes of ingenious humor. Witness the recent, and rapidly-dying, painstaking hysteria anent the "white slave," that sky darling of avaricious publishers and slyly-licentious reclaimers. Witness the thousand and one movements to abolish this, that and the other, from cigarettes to drinking cups in trains. If you desire to laugh all you need do is to make a casual suggestion to the American that some thing, however trivial, is baneful to the best interests of the community. He will then, without fail, at once proceed to mix up a fragrant porridge that will have for its essence the wildest of asinine hilarity. He will form leagues without end. He will mount soap boxes in the public marts and bleat forth sweet bosh in denunciation of the thing he fondly believes should be legislated against. As a naive comedian the American is the final word.

The recent ecstatic twaddle about September Morn is a case in point. First came Anthony Comstock, that star funster, with the announcement that the picture was "demoralizing in the extreme, and especially calculated to excite immodesty in the young. The human figure," said the sage Tony, "should never be displayed in public without proper clothing. We must save the children from such sights." Al Jolson, Lew Fields, Jess Dandy and McIntyre and Heath, in combination, could never have cooked up a more fulsome jest than this.

"September Morn," demure thing, was kicked all over the lot. First one high god of rectitude said the picture was immoral and then another said that it was moral. After having received sufficient advertising of this kind September Morn, who would otherwise have continued upon her serene way without causing so much as a ripple on the surface of American ethics, became the subject of thinly-veiled and vile repartee on the vaudeville stage, in the newspapers and upon the street corners. And the public applauded. Here was wit indeed. What could be funnier than a joke about a well-known painting of a maiden in the "altogether?"

All this resulted, finally, in the announcement that Paul Chabas, the debased scoundrel who painted "September Morn," had gone into retirement. He, benighted Frenchman, couldn't understand how it came that a simple and, to him, innocent picture like "September Morn" should have caused such an elaborate din, should have become, in short, a subject for barbarically-colored pennants to be given away with cigars and other articles of merchandise. Once more the public grinned. "Serves him right for being so all-fired frank," the public shouted, true to its Puritan heritage.

But the arch clowning was not yet over. When questions as to the picture's propriety arose those who defended it dwelt, with benign assininess, upon the purity of the "body beautiful." They dispensed ear-splitting hosannahs, with all the fervor of ascetic gnomes, about the aesthetic value of the picture. They lacerated the atmosphere with rapturous yells about the picture inspiring higher emotions, about the psychological value of "aesthetic baths." But, among all the fine birds who gave vent to such balmy balderdash, was there one lusty knave who made unabashed admission that the picture gave him pleasure from a sensuous standpoint? Was there one, however diffident, who said that a view of the painting affected him in the same manner that the smelling of a dewy bunch of violets would affect him? Nay. An acknowledgment of this kind would forever have branded him a moral leper. It would have made him a hedonist thrice accursed. No, the fact that all art gives pleasure, and usually sensuous pleasure, must never be confessed in America. One might as well hang oneself as declare a leaning toward the sybaritical.

BRIEF DECISIONS.

[Judge:] "All the world loves a lover"—or so it seems, anyway, to the girl who is engaged to him.

War? Well, war, acrostically speaking, is nothing more or less than the wretched sum total of

Waste,
Arrogance and
Rapine,

and is practiced by civilized nations only after a lapse in a moment of blind passion into savagery.

Bildad wants to know why St. Honoratus is called the patron saint of the bakers. We really dough not know, but it is probably due to the fact that St. Saleratus was absent in the yeast in the hour of knead.

If the new war revenue taxes do not assay richly enough to meet the general needs, what is the objection to Uncle Sam's levying a 10-per-cent. tax on all poker pots and bridge-table winnings?

A Boston paper says that the fashionable woman is now pretty well accustomed to fuller effects. It may be added that hubby's pocketbook is getting wholly accustomed to emptier effects.

When Mark Twain said that lying was getting to be a lost art and ought to be taught in the public schools, some of the military schools seem to have taken him seriously.

The Picus Boarder.

[National Monthly:] It was one of those cheaper boarding-houses on the North Side in Chicago and the boarders soon noticed that the newest boarder had a very regular habit.

At each meal, as he came in, he would stand behind his chair for a moment, look down at the table and say "The Book of Hebrews, thirteenth chapter, eighth verse." Then he would proceed to do justice to the meal.

This continued for several weeks, during which time the newest boarder continued the habit, the other boarders remarking sotto voce, what a deeply religious young man he was.

Then, one day, a boarder happened to note that the young man always said the same thing: "The Book of Hebrews, thirteenth chapter, eighth verse." Out of curiosity, this boarder looked up the reference to see if it had any significance.

It had.

This is what he read: "The same yesterday, and today, and forever."

The Four Ages of Hair.

Bald,
Fuzz,
Is,
Was.

—[New York Sun.

The Usual Way.

[Puck:] Mrs. Rurel: I want you to kill a couple of chickens for dinner.

New Cook (late from the city:) Yes, mam. Which car shall I do it with?

Pen Points:

Naco, Ariz., is

Is this the C
said they would

Everybody got
ble" dust.

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Arctic Circle.

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we know are

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Coast Baseball
be known as the

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on April 1. No
guess. Neither is

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fighting. The
prune is on the

Good morning,
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year's birds'

Gen. Joffre has
ters seventy miles
line. Safety first,

An ex-Governor of
smoked for seventy
habit. He didn't
him.

Here is another
son. He insists that
is about over.
"info?"

Pink oysters are
probably discovered by
brating the defeat of
ment.

Len Livernash will
captain of the University
ball eleven. Pass a
sandwich.

Do the dead return,
claims? Looks so!
and Mark Twain
ber magazines.

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there is such
fortunates at

The country
every year.
medical students
ten years ago
own medicine
a demand for

Go, little song,
Faint odors rise
tears
With inarticulate
A weary load
blood.
Small service,
All day, till now
They drop away
Her aching head
The treetops
The brook's
the sea
Bearing the
While yonder,
My own great
on me,
Smiles
—[Charlotte

...l Disturbs the Brethren Church.

Mrs. Lloyd Nease,

...ures in a remarkable divorce case now being heard in the Superior Court.

O-o-o-o-h-h-h!

...ULIAR SOUNDS, AND MINISTER HEARD THEM.

...t company of men as... in the back yard of Lloyd ... instance late one evening ... 1913. Something un... While the men, final... the woman, waited ... queer sounds issued ... the house in the yard. ... company discovered ... the trial of Mrs. Alice ... suit in Judge Morri...

...ht holds will clear of ... this woman. What the ... of the Brethren ... company told ... indicated plainly what ... had occurred after the ... often split asunder the ... families. ... at that time assist... ... of the Brethren ... Gregory was a trus... ... called by Mr. ... up forth the tenthouse ... the cross-complaint and ... Gregory, testified that Mrs. ... Gregory held hands in ... other ways showed their ... for each other to the indig... congregation.

...ther, a deacon of the ... finally that he was ... Nease as a member of ... from the tenthouse and ... back yard "expecting to ... Instead he heard ... He said he did not know ... in the tenthouse.

"DEAR KISSING."

...ther," he said, "and ... familiar sounds were ... Arthur F. Kimmel, pas... Church. They ... two hours when ... into the moonlight emerged from the tenthouse Mrs. Nease and Mr. Gregory. The tableaux was of the motion-picture kind.

Mr. Nease appeared beside himself. Mr. Leffler and the pastor were obliged to seize him to prevent summary vengeance upon the alleged wrecker of his home. The pastor used his good offices to keep two homes cemented.

"I endeavored to induce Mrs. Nease to become reconciled to her husband," he said.

"But if you were trying to prevent two homes from being broken up, why did you bring Mrs. Gregory into the back yard?" asked the court.

The pastor had testified he had done this. His reply was that Mrs. Gregory knew what had been going on. This, the climax of the holding hands incident in church, scattered the two families. Mr. Gregory left his wife. Mrs. Gregory states that the affair with Mrs. Nease had caused her so much unhappiness that life was intolerable. But she also admits that she would forgive him if he showed penitence and became a man.

Mrs. Nease and Mr. Gregory deny misconduct. Mrs. Nease testified that she had sent for Mr. Gregory on that fatal night to confer with him on an important matter. There was no love-making in the tent. She admitted that he had called occasionally at her home, but this was largely because his little girl was there.

THE AGREEMENT.

An agreement signed by Mrs. Nease figures in this singular case. It is dated June 24, 1913, and reads in part:

"In the presence of witnesses and without any persuasion on the part of any one, I wish to make this statement and do declare in the presence of others that I do not love my husband and refuse to share his bed. This action on my part is contrary to his wishes, but I can't help it as his presence is hateful to my sight. I demand that he leave me, which he has consented to do."

Mrs. Nease says she was compelled to sign this paper, but the pastor, who was a witness to it, said it was voluntary.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Gregory are in the courtroom. The spectators comprise members of the Brethren Church who will be called by Attorney Musgrove to testify as to the actions of Mrs. Nease and Mr. Gregory in church. Mrs. Nease alleges that her husband is a habitual intemperate, stingy and cruel.

They'll be There, but not for Sale!

Babies' meal time

...Home. These are some of the infants who will be ...for the benefit of the home next Saturday.

BABIES TO ADD TO THE INTEREST.

ONE OF THE FEATURES OF A CHRISTMAS BAZAAR ON SATURDAY.

One of the interesting features of the Christmas bazaar which will be held Saturday at No. 129 South Broadway by the Women's Auxiliary of the Florence Crittenton Home will be a number of babies from the home under the direction of Mrs. Frank Stoddard, chairman of the board of managers.

"But let it be understood that the babies are not for sale," Mrs. Stoddard explained yesterday. "They will simply be there to add to the interest of the occasion."

The bazaar will be open all day and until 11 p.m. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. H. M. Wheeler, president of the auxiliary, chairman; Mrs. Frank Shaw and Miss Cora Hickman. The entertainment programme will include vaudeville, cabaret and several interesting musical numbers.

Harold Shaw will have charge of the musical programme. The musicians will include the Duggan sisters, Carl Shedden, Sam Sebrit, Henry Menz, Mme. Turon, "Rube" Jones and others.

A number of attractive High School girls will assist the women in the booths and in doing the social honors. Refreshments will be served. The following are the names of booths and the women in charge:

Tea booth, Mrs. J. H. Dopkins, Miss Anne Dopkins and Mrs. Birdetta Murphy; ice cream, Charles L. Higgins; candy, Mrs. Elizabeth Bloeser and the Church of the Messiah; dolls, Mrs. R. H. Dunlap; fancy work, Mrs. T. C. Quinn; linen, Mrs. Francis Alvares; aprons and caps, Mrs. Shaw; grab bags, Mrs. St. Clair Moneti, and fortune telling, Mme. Charles L. Higgins.

CHAMBER DOESN'T INDORSE.

At the Chamber of Commerce directorate meeting yesterday consideration was given to a communication from the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce requesting indorsement of the proposals of Hon. David Lubin for the economical distribution of farm products. The suggestions of the Sacramento chamber provide that an exhibit be made at the expositions which would show what had been done in European countries toward scientific marketing of farm products. The suggestion was also advanced that a world-wide congress be held in connection to discuss both scientific marketing and rural credits. The local chamber directors did not look with favor upon these suggestions, inasmuch as the chamber had already gone on record by resolution requesting the President of the United States to appoint a National Marketing Commission, whose duty it would be to investigate these proposals and formulate a detailed plan of carrying them into effect. The board did not deem it advisable to take further action in advance of any action which may be taken by the Federal government.

NOTHING MORE DUE.

In the suit brought by Alex M. Stewart against the Globe Grain and Milling Company for $2913.37, alleged to be due on account of plans and specifications for the erection of grain elevators at San Pedro and Portland, Or., Judge Wellborn yesterday found for the defendant. It appeared from the testimony that the defendants had paid Stewart $1710 on the contract, and the court held that under the terms of the receipt given by Stewart for the money that there was nothing in addition due him.

1/2 Price Xmas Slippers

This is a real opportunity to save just One-Half on all of your Christmas Slipper presents for the men folks on your list. We have 250 pairs of these slippers that will be placed on sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday at these reduced prices. All are choice Christmas stock and lot includes high and low cuts.

For Men—

This is the new and up-to-date style in Men's Cavalier boot, a very comfortable and pleasing house slipper—warm and serviceable. Makes an exceptionally appropriate Christmas Gift for any man. All of these are marked One-Half Price during sale.

$2.50

Opera—

Some men prefer the low-cut opera slipper. It is equally as comfortable and gives the foot a trim and stylish appearance. The leather is the highest quality and the style the very latest.

$1.50

Sale of Children's Leggins

This week SPECIAL—Velvet, Jersey, Corduroy and Felt Leggins—all colors. All our $1.25 to $2 Values 95c

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Our Native Music.

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schools of this city will give the entire programme. While here Mrs. Kinney expects to spend several days seeing the music work in our schools.

PRAISES OUR SCHOOLS.

"The Los Angeles schools," said Mrs. Kinney, "have a wide reputation for efficiency in music work. I have even heard it said by those who know that you have more good music work in your schools than in any other city in the country."

With several symphony orchestras in attendance, including the recently reorganized Beethoven Symphony Orchestra of Memphis, and leading choral bodies represented, the Los Angeles' session promises to be a feast of vigrant thoughts made articulate. The Chicago Choristers, Father William J. Finn, director, will participate in several of the programmes.

In addition, many of the greatest pianists and vocalists of the country have been secured for the programmes. In fact, Mrs. Kinney stated that she believes that the Los Angeles' meeting will draw such an aggregation of musical talent as was never before seen together and that we, with many thousands of visitors, will have a rare opportunity to sense what America is doing music wise.

The morning sessions of the convention will be given up to routine business and to talks on musical themes by men and women of note. The officers of the Federation will arrive here three days before the convention opens, to make the final arrangements. A number of special trains have already been scheduled to leave Chicago, July 19 and 21, to bring delegates and musical organizations here. It is believed that over 10,000 persons will attend the convention.

A venerated figure will be Mrs. Theodore Thomas, who organized the Federation in 1893. She is now harmony president of the organization.

Petite, with a pleasant voice and a winning smile, Mrs. Kinney has but little of the appearance of the busy president of the largest organization in this country, headed by a woman. While here, she expects to arrange for meeting places for 1915 and to secure a headquarter for the official body.

A plan that is now taking form is to secure the aid of the churches in producing sacred music by American composers, exclusively, on the one convention Sunday. Arrangements have already been made for a great sacred choral concert on the afternoon of that day.

"Most of our sacred music is scarcely fitting for the worship of God," said Mrs. Kinney. "We believe that American composers have more fitting music to offer and hope to demonstrate this."

In the list of composers, whose works will have place on the programme, and who are expected to contribute toward the success of the festival are George W. Chadwick, Carl Busch, David Stanley Smith, Arthur Farwell, Henry Gilbert, Arne Oldburg, Charles W. Cadman, Ernest R. Kroeger, Adolf M. Foerster, Frederick Preston Search, Joseph Henius, Harry Lott, Mabel Daniels and others equally well known throughout the country.

FIRE SWEEPS HOME.

Fire that swept the house of J. E. Graves, No. 2711 Normandie avenue, drove members of the family from the dwelling early yesterday. Starting on the second floor the flames spread quickly, the damage being about $800. The rooms were filled with smoke when the members of the family awoke. They obtained a few personal belongings and hurried to the street.

DETECTIVES WAIT OUTSIDE.

While Argument Goes on in Habeas Corpus Case Which will be Decided Today.

Judge James of the District Court of Appeal will decide the issuance of a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Earnest C. Reed, charged with securing money under false pretenses, this afternoon.

While the argument was going on in the District Court of Appeal, yesterday, the outside corridors on the tenth floor of the International Bank building were filled with detectives, presumably to rearrest Reed on some charge if Judge James should allow the writ.

The charge against Reed is that he secured a check from Asaph Sergeant of Davenport, Iowa, for $1000, and ten shares of stock in the American Security Company, for a tract of land in Moore county, Tex., that it is now alleged Reed did not own. It is also charged that the land is incumbered, and it was represented to be free from mortgages by Reed.

IN NICK OF TIME.

John A. Eastlick, 62 years old, of No. 1333 East Eighteenth street, was saved from an attempt to end his life yesterday by Patrolman Baines. Mr. Eastlick tried to take poison at the Southern Pacific station. The patrolman took the drug from Mr. Eastlick and sent him to the Receiving Hospital for an examination regarding his sanity. Domestic troubles are said to be the cause of his rash move.

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Articles in Jet, Gold and Silver Plate, Sterling and Solid Gold, all $3.85.

—German silver mesh Bags; gold plated and silver plated Vanities and Card Cases; Earrings; Bracelets; Pearl Beads; Opera Beads; Lavallieres; brooches; scarf pins, slipper buckles, circle pins, watch fobs, etc., jet novelties, and fancy stone-set articles of all sorts, at $3.85.

(Jewelry; South Aisle)

All Trimmed Hats at Half First Prices

Simply and solely because we will not carry them over into the winter and spring season. Included are magnificent pattern hats, handsome copies from our own workrooms, etc., trimmed in Paradise, ostrich, Numidia, flowers, fur, etc., in charming winter fashion; all at Half.

(Millinery; Main Floor)

Every Child's Stocking Should Have Something in it Christmas Morning

No matter whom else you leave off your Christmas list, it must not be little folks. Here are the toys that will gladden tiny hearts:

Wheel Goods, Games, Books, Mechanical Toys, Toy Trunks, Christmas Gift Stockings, Sporting Goods, Dolls, Doll Accessories, Furniture, Noah's Arks, Tree Decorations, Kewpies.

And a myriad of other good gift things; all priced surprisingly low! (Toys; Third Floor)

Furs Cut 1/4

—Just now—in time for prospective buyers of these beautiful sets, and in separate pieces, we have remarked every piece in stock to one-fourth less than its original price. You run no risk whatever in buying here, even if you do not know the first thing about furs.

(Furs; Second Floor)

Spanish Lace Scarfs 1/4 Lower

Here are articles of which no woman ever has too many; rich Spanish lace scarfs, in black or white; delicate and dainty, regularly $6.50 to $32.50, now $4.85 to $24.35 each.

Other Scarfs—in beaded effects, floral designs, plain crepes, embroidered crepes, silkspun, fringed scarfs, satin striped, satin bordered crepes, etc., from $1.25 to $12.50 apiece.

(Scarfs; Main Floor)

Buy Gloves Here

Where there are so many kinds, from the famous Perrin's to the best domestic made, that we can accurately fit any hand—no matter what its peculiarities.

Gloves this year, more than ever before, will be worth-while gifts, for it is not at all improbable that such qualities will be unobtainable by this time next year!

You, of course, are familiar with Glove Orders, which entitle the recipient to make his or her own selection to any amount you specify.

Put "Gloves" on your list now for a number of friends, if you would be certain of pleasing them.

(Gloves; Main Floor)

Baby Blankets

In various designs, 36x40, 50c and 60c; bound with silk; silk bound, $2.

Baby Bunting—a double blanket into which you may slip baby; bound with silk, $2. 40x50, 75c and $1.25; silk bound, $2.

Bath Robes Are Reduced, of elderdown, plain or figured; blue, pink, gray, red; sizes 6 to 16; were $2.50 and $3, for $1.95; were $3.50 and $4, for $2.95; were $5, for $3.95.

(Infants' Wear; Second Floor)

Christmas Aprons and Fancy Slippers

Fancy Tea Aprons

—were 50c, now 35c, of colored lawn; Dolly Varden designs; were 85c, now 65c.

Were $1, now 65c.

Were $1.50, now $1.

Maids' Short Aprons

—with bibs and straps; of plain lawn, dotted Swiss embroidery; were 75c, now 50c.

—Others, were $1, now 65c. Were $1, now 75c.

Other Styles

—in many materials and trimmings; were $1.50, now $1.

Were $2.25, now $1.75.

(Aprons; Second Floor)

Gift Slippers

The felt "Comfy" style, $1, $1.50 and $2.

Juliet Felt Slippers, with heels and leather soles, $1.50.

Moccasins, wool lined, for men or women, $1 and $1.25.

Wool crocheted Slippers, $1.25 and $2. For men, $2.50.

Bed Socks, 25c, 35c and 65c.

(Muslinwear; Second Floor)

Our 50c Luncheon

Is attracting hundreds of tired and busy shoppers daily; appetizing, and first-class in every way; served from 11 to 4 o'clock.

(Fourth Floor Cafe)

Extraordinary Values in Suits at $16.75

Indeed, they are extraordinary, for they represent left-overs from seasonable winter garments that have been marked almost double; Redingote and other models, some beautifully fur-trimmed, at the price, now, of commonplace styles:

Suits Now $16.75

—are shown in rich imported serges, poplins, cheviots, broadcloths—winter's favorite materials, in navy, Copenhagen, brown and greens.

—Coats are long, medium or short in style, and the skirts are cut plain or finished with a tunic.

—Were the color lines and size ranges complete, these suits would sell readily for prices between $22.50 and $30; now they are $16.75.

(Garments; Second Floor)

A Man's Gift

Selected for men, by men; right in every way for gift purposes—

Three-Piece Sets—handkerchief, socks and tie to match; beautifully made, 50c to $2.50.

Neckwear—a table full of choice patterns of newest styles, only 50c.

Pajamas—always good gifts — in various materials, from $1.50 to $10.

Mackinaw Coats—for chauffeurs or sportsmen; short or long; many patterns; all at reductions.

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MOVEMENTS IN SOCIETY.

THE crowning feature of the Tournament of Roses, to be held shortly at Pasadena, will be the ball New Year's night at the Hotel Maryland, and which will conclude the festivities.

Invitations have been issued to 3000 guests and fully 2000 are expected to respond. The ball this season is under the direction of J. B. Miller, and final plans are being completed which will make the affair the most brilliant in the history of Pasadena.

The ballroom, which is the largest in Southern California, will be specially decorated in the colors of the tournament, gold, red and green, and everything will be done to make the evening a delightful one.

The list of patronesses includes Mrs. Albert Sherman Hoyt, Mrs. W. A. Brackinridge Mrs. A. A. Libby, Mrs. Robert G. Neustadt, Mrs. J. V. Eliot, Mrs. R. D. Davis, Mrs. Gertrude H. Macy, Mrs. C. A. Goodyear, Mrs. Walter Raymond, Mrs. F. W. Paramore, Mrs. Kenneth Newell Avery, Mrs. J. J. Mitchell, Mrs. William H. Vedder, Mrs. William R. Staats, Mrs. A. M. McDermott, Mrs. W. F. Knight, Mrs. E. H. May, Mrs. George G. Guyer, Mrs. David Blankenhorn, Mrs. W. E. Grattan, Mrs. George A. Damon, Mrs. J. L. Atkinson, Mrs. Clayton H. Garvey, Mrs. C. R. Palmer, Mrs. F. G. Martin, Mrs. H. L. Story, Mrs. Harry Gaume, Mrs. J. R. Giddings, Mrs. J. O. Siebert, Mrs. Ernest Baer, Mrs. Robert Pitcairn, Jr., Mrs. John B. Miller, Mrs. W. I. Stuart, Mrs. D. M. Linnard, Mrs. John Earl Jardine, Mrs. Frank G. Hogan, Mrs. C. D. Daggett, Mrs. T. H. Gilcrest, Mrs. W. D. Card, Mrs. G. Lawrence Stimson, Mrs. Frederick W. Kellogg, Mrs. Henry Newby, Mrs. J. B. Coulston, Mrs. Harrison I. Drummond, Mrs. H. H. Sinclair, Mrs. William D. Turner, Mrs. C. N. Post, Mrs. Z. T. Malaby, Mrs. H. W. Bailey, Mrs. L. H. Turner, Mrs. Clara B. Heywood, Mrs. Emily Macy, Mrs. H. W. Chynoweth, Mrs. William A. Spill, Mrs. Calvin Hartwell, Mrs. W. M. Ritchey, Mrs. A. J. Bertonneau, Mrs. G. Lavaknini, Mrs. Reginald Johnson, Mrs. Frank Vandervoort Rider, Mrs. Edmon G. Bennett and Mrs. Benjamin K. Douglas.

Fortnightly Dinner Dance.

The second of a series of fortnightly dinner dances was held last evening at the Los Angeles Country Club, and among those who entertained at dinner parties were Mrs. West Hughes, Mrs. Frank Griffith, Mrs. E. T. Stimson, Mrs. J. E. Cook, Mrs. J. F. Sartori and Mrs. Harold Braly.

Announce Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benjamin Spalding of Hollywood announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Leigh Spalding, to George J. Blake of Long Beach. The wedding will take place in the late summer.

Bridge.

Mrs. Helen D. Rockefeller will entertain today at the Midwick Country Club with a bridge party. About twenty guests will enjoy the pleasure of an afternoon at cards.

Wedding Day Set.

Miss Beulah Baird of Oxford boulevard has named the 26th inst. as the date for her marriage to Ralph J. Eaton of Eaton, Colo., grandson of ex-Gov. Eaton of that State. Miss Baird and Mr. Eaton met two years ago while both were attending the University of Southern California, and the love affair, which followed close upon the meeting, culminated in an engagement a year later. Miss Baird, who has lived in Los Angeles several years, has a large circle of friends, and is a popular member of the Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority of U.S.C. Mr. Eaton spent ten years in this city, but returned last spring to his home in Colorado, where he has prepared a home for his bride.

Many delightful affairs have been given in honor of both these young people.

Wedding Announcement.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Harriet Toard Crittenden of this city to Louis James Oriva, the ceremony being performed by Rev. James O. Neill at high noon Wednesday and in just the presence of the relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Oriva will be at home after a northern wedding trip, at No. 1036 Valencia street.

Invitations Recalled.

Invitations were recalled by Mrs. Frank Sherwood Wise of the Bryson Apartments for the large bridge party with which she was to have entertained Tuesday, on account of an injury received while spending a few days in the north.

Pleasant Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Newell, No. 268 Mariposa avenue, entertained recently with a 7 o'clock dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw. The evening was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. McVay, Mr. and Mrs. Alison Barlow, Mr. and Mrs. Cheise, Mr. and Mrs. John Newell and the guests of honor.

November Wedding.

Miss Mattie L. Erickson of Minneapolis and Karl A. Danielson of this city were married recently at the home of the officiating pastor, Rev. Herbert J. Weaver of Harvard boulevard.

Miller-Hawley.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized the other day when Miss Marcia Hawley became the bride of Harry B. Miller, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hawley, No. 1151 Lake street. The home was decorated in a color scheme of green and white and the drawing-room canopy of ferns and white blossoms with many lights made a beautiful setting for the service. The bride was attired in a gown of white satin, trimmed with pearls and duchesse lace. She wore a tulle veil and carried white roses and lilies of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will make their home in this city following their honeymoon trip.

To be Merry Affair.

The Altadena Country Club will have an afternoon for the "children" on the 29th inst., which promises to be a very merry affair. The grown-ups will take the children's places and all manner of frolics are being planned to take off a great many years of the elder's life and make them children again.

Away Three Months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sumner Kent are at their home again on South Sixth street after a trip of three months to Denver, Salt Lake and San Francisco.

Recent Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Maude Mae Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Clark Tucker of East Twentieth street, and Alton Adolphus Smith was solemnized recently in Naomi Christian Church, Rev. R. F. Thrapp officiating. The bride was gowned in white satin, trimmed with rare old lace and pearls. Miss Archie T. Tucker acted as bridesmaid for her sister, and the best man was Harry Keller.

Informal Dance.

House guests of the Kendis Apartments and their friends Saturday night enjoyed a pleasant informal dancing party.

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY AGNES THURNAU.

It is a joy to meet a woman who is taking her work seriously, and doing it the best she can at all times, with a view of its ultimate result, a belief in its ultimate good. Such a woman is Mary Bannister Willard, who gave a lecture to the Ebell Club December 14 on the latest development in modern art. Miss Willard has the fine quality of discrimination, the keen sense of justice, the deep sympathy, the insight into motive, essential to the great critic. The culture and training which she has gained from twenty years of study in the art centers of the world may belong to any woman with courage and steadfastness to acquire them, but the essential qualities of the critic which she possesses are rare enough. They are attributes of character.

She relates art to life in a marvelous way. She sees in the cubist and the post-impressionist something as vital as life itself, something beyond any art of any time, something potentially lovely, and absolutely true, trying to express itself.

"Cubism and post-impressionism," she said, "are based on the great law of rhythm, as music is. What is rhythm in this connection? The force of an idea working its way through to convincing expression. The new art conveys the sense of inner vitality. It is a vehicle of expression, rather than of representation. The post-impressionists discovered that the elements of art—line, color, design and volume—could be used as emotional stimuli. The cubists have eliminated representation altogether, and are using these stimuli as independent agents, just as a musician uses his notes and harmonies. The musician bases his art on arithmetic. Cubists are basing their art on geometrical foundations. Arthur Davies, the greatest of all cubists, is an American. Not until I had seen and felt the ravishing beauty of his work was I convinced of the possibilities of cubism and post-impressionism. I hold no brief for the futurists, however. I am not sure that they realize certain limitations for expression in painting and sculpture. I am not convinced that they are in the path that leads to greatness. The new art has the quality of passionate intensity, the endowment of vision. It expresses; it does not merely represent. New standards of criticism are created by the birth of new art forms. We cannot judge the new art by traditional standards."

It is interesting and gratifying to those who believe in the new art, to hear a competent, conservative critic, a careful scholar, like Mary Bannister Willard proclaim its possibilities and prophesy its greatness.

She dwelt upon the possibilities of the new art in its relation to the theater, showing by the slides that illustrated her lecture how effectively it had been employed by the world's greatest stage craftsmen in bringing out the subtle spiritual value of plays like "The Bluebird" in the use of lines to stimulate emotion. She showed also how the setting of "Antigone" in a European theater was treated by a cubist artist. Nothing more exquisite could be imagined.

Her discussion of the relation of number, color and music was rather startling coming from one who is not a professed mystic. It was hard to realize that one was listening to the criticism of one of the most authoritative and best American art critics, who herself is not at all interested in that relation aside from its artistic significance. Her lecture was one of the finest things Ebell has had this year. In fact it would be difficult to realize how anyone could call it other than perfect.

Art Exhibit.

The sale exhibit of the California Art Club is going to be a decided success. The sales already run up into the hundreds and it has been open only two days. Yesterday was Ruskin Art Club day and the monthly club luncheon was served in the art gallery. Poinsettias and red carnations were used effectively in the decorations of the clubroom and the gallery which adjoins, and which were converted into one room by the opening of folding doors. In charge of the luncheon was the Housekeeping Committee of the club, of which Mrs. A. H. Randall is chairman. Assisting her were Mrs. T. J. Marshall, Mrs. A. L. Jurdin and Mrs. A. P. Metcalf. Tea was poured in the afternoon for patrons and visitors. Today the Daughters of the Confederacy will have charge. Mrs. Samuel Cary Dunlap is chairman of the committee. Assisting her are Mrs. Grantland S. Long, Mrs. John L. Morgan, Mrs. Ross Hutchason, Mrs. B. A. Davis, Mrs. Mary Koyer, Mrs. J. Henry Stewart, Mrs. K. S. Field, Mrs. S. R. Thorpe, Mrs. Emma Joy, Mrs. J. H. Burton, Mrs. Fanny Elson and Mrs. F. G. Douglas. Those who know what the hospitality of southern women is like feel sure that today the southern women who are members of the Los Angeles Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will maintain their reputation in this matter.

Cosmos.

The next regular meeting of the Cosmos Club will be held December 20. It is children's day, an annual event of the club. Miss Kate Foley recently spoke before the club on the work of the State Library Commission for the Blind, and made a plea for legislation that will provide for the further education of the blind of the State. She is presenting this matter to many women's clubs in a most interesting and appealing way.

Maccabees.

Southern California Hives, Ladies of the Maccabees of the World, held a two-days' rally in the Walker Auditorium, which began Tuesday, December 15. There are 3000 women in the Southern California hives. Tuesday night seventy-five candidates were initiated into the class, and the event was one of the most impressive that has come before the local body, as the full ritualistic work of the order was used. Many members from San Diego and Santa Barbara were present. The Deputy Supreme Commander, Mrs. Minnie W. Aydelotte, who was a visitor, will be entertained by different members before she returns to her home in Oakland. Dr. Ella J. Fifield, Supreme Medical Examiner, of Tacoma, Wash., who was present at the rally, will be guest of honor at many entertainments.

Tropico.

Mrs. Adelaide H. Imler has been elected president of the N. P. Banks Woman's Relief Corps of Tropico; Mrs. Alma Dutton, Senior Vice-President; Miss Margaret, Junior Vice-President; Mrs. Susie Peck, Treasurer; Miss Delia Hapgood, Chaplain; Mrs. Mae Henry, Conductor; Mrs. Margaret Hibbert, Guard.

Craft Study Club.

A brand new club made its bow to Los Angeles just three months ago. It is the Crafts Study Club, a large organization composed of the craftswomen of the city. Mrs. J. H. De la Monte is president. The exhibition of craftsman articles given at the Hotel Leighton Tuesday was a revelation in the way of what Los Angeles women are doing in the crafts. The tables on which were placed the exhibits were grouped most artistically, with a fine regard for color effects. Those exhibiting were Miss Ruth Mildred Holder, metal work and jewelry; Mrs. J. H. De la Monte, metal work; Mrs. C. L. Powell, relief enamel on Satsuma; Miss Rose Connor, jewelry; Mrs. William S. Crane, basketry; Miss Pearl King, basketry; Miss Lillian M. Fletcher, jewelry; Mrs. D. L. Peters, relief enamel on Satsuma; Miss Daisy Stowell, relief enamel on Satsuma. One of the most notable exhibits was that of Miss Horiocker, who has a studio in the Blanchard building. It was relief enamel on Satsuma and the exquisite American pottery belleek. Miss Horiocker is a rare craftswoman. Her drawing is perfect, and one would have to search in mandarin palaces for more charming treatments of the peculiar coloring of the great Chinese craftsmen. Several of her fine pieces of belleek were decidedly Persian in their feeling. She is a colorist by nature, and a colorist of the Orient, giving all the poetic effects and combinations that are so hard for European and American craftsmen to attain. Another exhibit remarkable for its fine craftsmanship was the jewelry exhibit of Miss Connors. She was trained in the studios and workshops of Paris, St. Petersburg and Vienna craftsmen, and her work shows the skill with which she has been instructed. A desk set in German silver by Miss Holder was exceptionally well done.

For Mexico.

MAY HOLD PEACE CONCLAVE HERE.

ALL REPUBLICS OF THE WEST INVITED TO ATTEND.

Dr. Hernandez, Expatriate, Advances Plan to End Anarchy in His Native Country—Believes Los Angeles the City that will Logically be Selected for the Mediation.

A peace plan for Mexico may be formulated in Los Angeles during the next few months, and if so, representatives from all the republics on this hemisphere will participate.

Dr. Fortunato Hernandez, perhaps the most distinguished historian and author of Mexico, and an expatriate now living in this city, has undertaken to enlist the co-operation of the United States and the Latin-American republics in an altruistic plan that will effectively restore political harmony and governmental security in Mexico.

Owing to the peculiarly suitable location of Los Angeles, and inasmuch as the idea emanates from this city, there is logical reason for assuming that if Dr. Hernandez succeeds in interesting the various countries that their representatives will meet here.

One of the direct and valuable results of the proposed conference would be, not only to arrive at some means by which governmental authority would be restored in Mexico, but to create a more friendly and sympathetic relationship between the Latin-American countries, and also between those countries and the United States.

It is estimated that each country participating will send four representatives, and every country, excepting Canada, on this side of the world has been or will be invited to participate.

In speaking of the plan and the probability of Los Angeles being chosen as the city for the meeting, Dr. Hernandez called attention to the fact that the Panama Canal eliminated any difficulties of travel that representatives from the eastern countries of South America might have in reaching this city, and that it was obviously most suitable as a meeting place for the representatives from the western countries of South America.

The following is a copy of the letter that Dr. Hernandez sent to the Ambassador of the Argentine Republic at Washington last Saturday, and similar to the ones that have gone to other Ambassadors:

"Invoking the noble chivalry of the Argentine people, exercising my rights as a Mexican and assuming all responsibility for this act, I have the honor to beg that your excellency should submit to the high consideration of His Excellency, the President of the Argentine Republic, the following respectful request:

"A Mexican writer, expatriate, Dr. Fortunato Hernandez, demands that the Hon. First Magistrate of the Argentine Republic, in defense of the aspirations, ideals and rights of the Latin-American race, constitute an international American congress to the exclusive end of investigating, proposing and sanctioning the means most honorable and efficacious to restore peace in the republic of Mexico, considering the great and growing perils which threaten with death the integrity, the future and the sovereignty of a sister nation.

"And if Dr. Hernandez solicits for his unfortunate fatherland the fraternal assistance of the neo-Latin countries, it is because he believes and hopes that, before an august tribunal, formed by the representatives of all the republics of America, the voice of truth and justice may be heard and understood."

FRESNOAN GETS JOB.

Position of First Assistant United States District Attorney is given to Northern Democrat.

United States District Attorney Schoonover yesterday announced the appointment of Mansel G. Gallaher, assistant district attorney of Fresno county, as first assistant United States District Attorney, effective January 1, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Duke Stone.

Mr. Gallaher, a Democrat, is 41 years of age, and in addition to being assistant district attorney of Fresno county, is city attorney for Salem and Clovis, Fresno county. He is a graduate of Scio College, and was admitted to the bar at Woodsfield, in 1905, practicing law there as a member of the firm of Driggs, Gallaher & Devaul, until 1907, when he came to California.

MORE THAN ENOUGH.

Three overcoats is more than one man's lot, say the police, who yesterday arrested Roy Ames and Harry McArthur on suspicion of being burglars. Mr. Ames was in possession of the overcoats. They were arrested in a South Main-street rooming-house.

Christmas Goods.

MAGIC AT THE MAJESTIC.

"Shepherd of the Hills" Leads Crowds to Mason.

"Red Heads" to Scintillate at Orpheum.

Holiday Bills Promise Class in All Houses.

The Le Roy, Talma, Bosco Company of Magicians are to come to the Majestic next week, opening on Monday night.

Fifty magicians are included in the aggregation, which, in its tour around the world, has already consumed twelve years.

Servais Le Roy, who heads the company, is one of the world's foremost illusionists; Mlle. Talma is a coin conjurer of note, while Bosco is the comedy magician of the trio.

A menagerie consisting of more than 100 animals, together with scenery and properties, filling three baggage cars, are carried with the attraction, which is said to be the largest of its kind ever seen in America.

Mason.

The dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's popular novel, "The Shepherd of the Hills," is to be the attraction at the Mason Operahouse for another week.

The play is one that attracts with its wholesome simplicity, and is full of dramatic thrills. The piece is well staged and well played.

"The Poor Little Rich Girl," by Eleanor Gates, will be played at the Mason during the week beginning Monday, December 23.

The fantastic little story of the dreams of "the poor little rich girl" is said to be staged and played delightfully. In the course of the tale's unwinding, the child visits the places she has imagined, Tail-Tale Forest, the Land of Lights, and Robin Hood's Barn, where she has adventures with the beings of her fancy.

It is not merely a child's play, but is of fascinating interest to men and women of all classes, with a powerful appeal to parents and educators.

Morosco.

"The Girl in the Train" is proving very popular, at the Morosco, with the delightful comedians, Kolb and Dill, in the leading roles.

Beginning Monday night Kolb and Dill will present their greatest success, "The Rollicking Girl," said to be the finest production the genial comedians have ever presented. The piece is said to be a gem of music and girls and rare comedy.

Burbank.

"The Man from Home," with Forrest Stanley, Selma Paley and other popular Burbank actors, is meeting with big success at the Burbank this week.

"Alias Jimmy Valentine," Paul Armstrong's famous crook play, is to be given next week, beginning with the Sunday matinee. Forrest Stanley will have the title role.

Orpheum.

"The Red Heads," a Lasky musical comedy, featuring a chorus of red-headed girls, said to be all beauties, with James B. Carson at the head of the cast, head the Orpheum bill next week. The piece promises to be bright with catchy music and beautiful faces, forms and gowns.

Charlie Howard, Bobbie Watson and Dorothy Hayden, in songs, stories and dances, promise an interesting number; Trovato, the violinist, will continue his pleasing performance; Elida Morris, singing comedienne, is billed for a budget of new ditties, and Corbett, Shepard and Donovan, three men who sing, will be found equal to all demands.

The hold-overs are the delightful Elphye Snowden, the Trevilla boys and their diving seals, and Platov and Glaser, in new and sensational dances.

There is to be a special programme of Christmas songs, hymns and carols by the orchestra, and the usual motion pictures of war and general news.

Monday afternoon all red-headed girls are to be admitted free, with reserved seats. All applicants under the special dispensation must be real red-heads, however. There must be no wigs, henna-dye, or other artificiality. Otherwise any shade of red hair, from carrots to auburn, will be admitted.

A special committee will be in the lobby on Monday preceding the matinee, to pass on all disputes as to the actual redness of any girl's head where the man in the box office is in doubt.

Loew's Empress.

Joseph E. Bernard and Hazel Harrington, in their true-to-life sketch, "Who is She?" will head the new Loew bill at the Empress next week. A musical special will be offered by McIntosh and his musical maids. The Nichols Nelson troupe promise something unique in juggling; and James Davis and Pearl Matthews are billed for some unique dancing; while Wardell and Hoyt and Fred Hillbrand are other features, providing good entertainment.

Republic.

"Tillie's Punctured Romance," said to be the biggest comedy photoplay ever produced, with Marie Dressler, Charlie Chaplin and Mabel Normand as joint stars, will be shown for the first time on the Pacific Coast, at Bert Levey's Republic Theater next week. The photoplay is said to be even funnier than "Tillie's Nightmare," another Marie Dressler success.

Pantages.

Frances Clare is the bright particular star of next week's Pantages show. She will present a sketch entitled "Yesterdays," with the help of Guy Rawson and a pretty and vivacious chorus.

Others who will shine are The New Orleans Ragtime Band, Arthur Whitelaw, the Irish story-teller; Roy and Anna Harrth, society dancers, and Kathryn McConnell and Joe Niemeyer in freak songs and dances.

Hippodrome.

Ten big holiday features are billed by the Hippodrome for Christmas week, with continuous performances on Christmas Day, Saturday and Sunday.

The Three Silbon Sisters, in an aerial act, which they gave last year in the Barnum and Bailey circus, headline with Fourehler, trick cyclist, as a close second.

Others are Stammer and Terrell, The Light Opera Four; Cecil Engle, character impersonator; Yandys, the Chinese magician, and Charles Royal and Edith Elliott in a Christmas sketch.

Tally's.

"The Ghost Breaker" is drawing well at Tally's this week, with H. B. Warner as the bright particular star, in a film play, which is full of comedy as well as drama.

For Christmas week, Mr. Tally has secured a photoplay subject not only appropriate for the occasion, but also one that will undoubtedly be conceded by all who see it one of the most beautiful film classics ever produced in America. It is a five-act filmination of Wilson Barrett's inspiring drama, "The Sign of the Cross." The emotional appeal of the picture is said to be tremendous, the piece running in London for many months.

William Farnum has the role of Marcus Superbus.

Special music for the orchestra and the big organ has been arranged by Mr. Garratt, organist.

Clune's Auditorium.

"The Seats of the Mighty," filmed from Gilbert Parker's famous novel, is making a great hit at Clune's Auditorium, this week.

Next week comes "The Hoosier Schoolmaster," with Max Figman and Lolita Robertson in the leading roles. The film play is from Edward Eggleston's well-known story, and is delightfully staged and full of wholesome human interest.

In addition, Dr. Leonard will present for the first time in California the Alaskan pictures that he took in the land of the new frontier. He will accompany his picture with an interesting talk on the film features. Dr. Sugden has spent the last seventeen years in the Far North and the picture should be most interesting.

Clune's Broadway.

George Ade's "Fable in Slang," put in scenario form, are the big features at Clune's Broadway for the last days of this week. These fables are proving tremendously popular, and those to be given at the Broadway house are said to be among the best.

"The Man from the East," written and produced by Tom Mix, is one of the most thrilling film plays which the daring young actor has ever put on. It is said to be spectacular in the extreme, and will be the Christmas week offering.

Quinn's Superba.

At Quinn's Superba, John Emerson, in the great detective comedy-drama of modern New York, is exhibiting methods in deduction that are entirely at variance with the traditions of detectives of fiction or reality. "The Conspiracy" is one of the best film dramas now being presented.

John Emerson is a great actor of eccentric characteristics, and he is ably supported by Miss Lois Meredith, who made such an impression in "Help Wanted."

Quinn's Garrick.

Yvette Andreyer is creating a very favorable impression with her acting in "The Union Eternal," at Quinn's Garrick. There is a reality in her emotional scenes that at once declares her to be a true artist.

Trinity Auditorium.

After many years spent in compiling and producing a wonderfully realistic film drama dealing with the life of Christ, the Pathe Freres Company has secured the most complete work yet attempted in motion and color photography.

At Trinity Church, next week, will be shown striking and effective scenes including the birth of the Christ child, the arrival of the three wise men, the massacre of the innocents, Jesus learning the carpenter's trade from Joseph, Christ's baptism by St. John, the transfiguration, the last supper, Jesus before Pilate, the death and

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Bum Joke.

SOLDIER NABS JOHNNY SCHIFF.

Local Fighter in Trouble in England.

Took Numbers of Submarines, is Arrested.

A Practical Joker's Sad Witticism.

How Johnny Schiff, the Los Angeles prize fighter, was locked up in England for acting like a spy, is told in a letter just received from Johnny by the sporting editor of The Times. His letter is from Plymouth—one of the great naval stations of England.

"A funny thing happened to me yesterday," writes Johnny. "I went down to the sea front to watch the cruisers coming and going, with a party of friends. The bunch framed up a practical joke on me, one that might have got me in serious trouble.

"As we were walking along the front, one of my friends asked me if I had a pencil. I answered 'Yes.' Well, he handed me a piece of paper and told me to take down the numbers of the submarines as they were passing us.

"I did not know it was strictly against the law. I had been writing about three minutes, when a soldier on horseback came galloping up at full speed.

"As he approached us he jumped from his horse and pulled his revolver. He told me he was acting under orders from his officer, who was stationed a quarter of a mile from there.

"I showed him my American passport, but he took me anyway to headquarters. My party of friends were dying laughing, but they quieted down when he made me march in front as he followed.

"My friends explained everything to the captain. I showed him my U.S.A. passport. After wasting an hour there, they let me go. I asked the soldier how they saw me with a pencil and paper in my hand. He pointed to the top of the building. There was a big telescope. He told me that the man up there could see for a distance of twenty miles.

"Well, I came nearly getting into a scrape with that friend of mine who played the joke on me. But after thinking it over, I think I will play it on some one else."

POMONA HIGH IS BUSY AT TRACK.

WHITESIDES, A FRESHMAN, RUNS TWO-MILE CROSS-COUNTRY IN 12 MIN., 30 SEC.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 16.—Coach Clint Evans of the athletic department of Pomona High School is arranging the track season for the local team and aspirants for team honors are already in the offing. In the first cross-country run conducted under the coach there were over seventy-five participants, members of the freshman and sophomore gym classes.

Charles Whiteside, a freaman, ran two miles across country in twelve and a half minutes. This time is considered exceptional, as it was the first run of the season. The team at the High School this year will be composed of almost entirely new men, as many of last year's stars have been graduated or left for other schools, the Lampert brothers now attending Manual Arts High School in Los Angeles.

Coach Evans is most hopeful of his track team possibilities, for he says that he has some fine material to develop and will begin at once on the task.

PROFESSIONAL SQUASH MATCHES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Stephen J. Feron won the first of the series of squash tennis matches today for the professional championship. Feron, on his own home court at the Harvard Club, beat Walter S. Kinsella of the Squash Club and ex-champion of England, 17-13, 15-8, 15-7, 15-2. Dr. Alfred Stillmann, II, national amateur champion, acted as referee and marker.

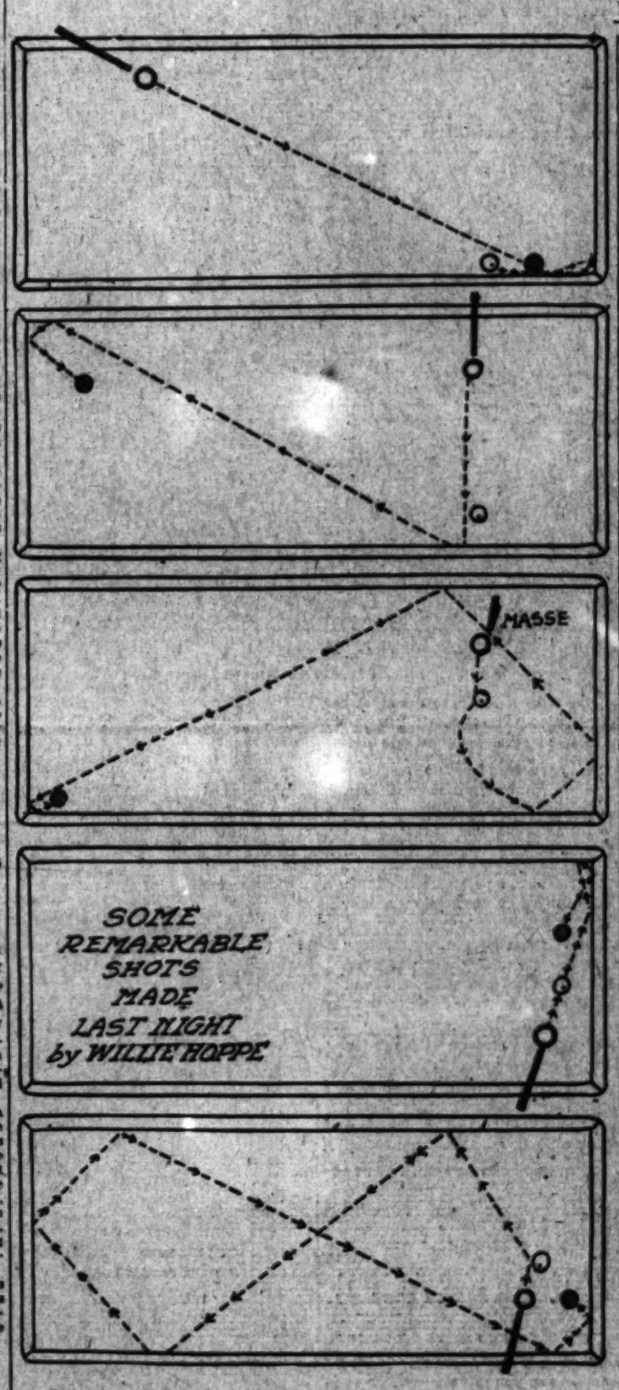
In the first game Kinsella forged ahead on his speed. Feron caught him at 12-all, but failed to win the game after setting at five acres. In the other games Feron showed his superiority at tactical skill. His cut service puzzled Kinsella and the latter was outplayed.

MOUNTAIN FIRES DESTROYED FISH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 16.—That mountain fires have in some instances destroyed trout in the streams of this county, is the report made by Forrester H. G. Merrill, who has just returned from an extensive investigation of the Santa Barbara reserve north of Santa Barbara.

The ashes from the fires being washed into the streams by the recent rains have poisoned the water, killing the fish. In the Sisquoc, where 35,000 trout were released last year, it is feared every fish has been destroyed. Arrangements are now being made to restock the streams.



Prodigal Son.

HAP HOGAN COAXES ROY HITT BACK INTO FOLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 16.—Roy Hitt will hearken no more to the jingle of the tempter's song. Hap Hogan went down to Calexico today and gathered his recalcitrant pitcher safely into the old fold and now if any little old Federal scout comes around, Hitt says he will send down word that he is not at home. When the two had finished their confabulation at Aitken's they separated. Said Mr. Hogan: "Hitt is one fine fellow. He is one of the greatest players in the country and he is loyal to his club."

Said Mr. Hitt: "Hogan is surely one prince. He is one of the best managers in the business and he looks out for his men."

So tranquillity reigns; neither would discuss ducats, but those in the "know" believe Hogan has slipped one over on his friend the enemy. The Feds thought they had Roy cinched. After Hogan had secured two more signatures to contracts—those of Messrs. Bayless and Hosp—the former bundled the Venice manager into his roadster and brought him up here to talk business to Rudy Baerwald, an outfielder whom Bayless tipped off as one of the best bets in the winter league not already signed up. Baerwald, now 23 years old, went from McCloskey's Butte Miners to the New York Americans in 1907, finishing the season. Next year he went to Memphis in the Southern League and stayed for six years. Last season he was with Galveston, batting .318, second in the Texas League's percentage column, and stealing thirty-five bases in the five-months season.

He bought his release and he wants Hogan to cover it. Hogan said he would decide on Baerwald's figures within a day or two.

NO PEP SHOWN BY RACE BOOSTERS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 16.—Neither road-race fans nor antis turned out tonight to discuss the proposal to pull off another auto road race here in February. The Council had called a meeting of the members to discuss with the opponents of converting the streets into a race track the suggestion that a February contest be staged over the famous course, but as only three persons attended the meeting no action could be taken.

Mayor Dudley had previously informed the Council that he had been warned by property owners that the city would be enjoined should it attempt to hold another race here. The meeting tonight was called in the hope that this opposition might be overcome, but the lack of interest on both sides is accepted as an indication that Santa Monica will be pleased this time to boost with her sister city for the success of the Venice meet. Property owners informed the pulse-feeling committee, which had been appointed by the Mayor, that they were not enthusiastic over the races for one reason, that up to this time no financial statement of the last races had as yet been presented for public inspection.

HOPPE DOUBLES IN FINE FORM.

DOWNS SEYMOUR 75 TO 1—HIGH RUN OF NINE AGAINST JIM MORLEY.

Arthur Seymour and James Morley will go hand in hand down the aisles of billiard tabernacles as the champion losers of this era. Jim acquired special fame by amassing a grand total of three balls in a game of 150 against Rennie Allen a year ago, and last night Art went him one better, or worse, by losing to Willie Hoppe a game of 14-1 balkline by a score of four points to 200, at the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

Hoppe was in the best form he has shown on this visit, his stroke firm and free. Giving Seymour a handicap of 100 points in 200, he secured his handicap and more before Seymour made a tally, and ran out in seven innings, with an average of 17 16-17 and high run of 80.

In scores by innings, Hoppe made 48, 30, 26, 20, 56, 49, 17; total, 300; average, 17 16-17. Seymour—0, 3, 9, 9, 0, 3; total, 4; average 4-7.

Hoppe then took on Morley for forty points at three-cushions, and ran out in thirty-nine innings, with an average of 1 1-39 in one of the best games ever played here. Morley scored 13, with five as his best run.

Hoppe made high run of the game in the fifteenth inning, when he tallid nine; missing the tenth by a hair's breath after a remarkable seven-cushion shot started off the first ball with heavy running English.

Though the table was warmed by small oil stoves, the cool air of the gymnasium militated against the players. Hoppe appeared to miss at the end of two heavy runs by reason of stopping to blow on his fingers. After those misadventures he contented himself with flattening his hand on the cloth occasionally for a spark of warmth.

Men of mark in the billiard world have attended the games played here by Hoppe and Inman, world champions, respectively, of balkline and English billiards. Loyd Jevne, W. A. Spinks, Ora Morningstar, Dan Voorhies, George Kirkland and many other prominent cueists watched the exhibitions.

FEDERAL LEAGUE MAGNATES MEET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 16. — Federal League representatives gathered here this afternoon for the meeting tomorrow, at which, it is said, newly signed players will be distributed with a view to equalize the added strength. The mailing was to have been held today, but a hearing in the Marsans case at St. Louis required the presence of President Gilmore.

LOOKS LIKE SALT LAKE.

President Darmody yesterday for the first time went clearly on record as favoring Salt Lake City for the sixth franchise in the Coast League.

"I do not see how the offer made by the Utah people can be rejected," he said. "Personally, I think that it would be the best move for the league, and expect to see the club placed there."

The announcement from Portland that McCredie favors Salt Lake, makes it unanimous, and leaves nothing to the imagination.

In Demand.

COAST JOB IS OFFERED OLSON.

Managerial Berth Reward for Standing Pat.

Contract May Prevent Immediate Acceptance.

Inside Story of Why He Did not Jump.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

Picking new managers for the Los Angeles baseball team has become the king of indoor sports.

The names of Jimmy Williams, Charley Hinchman and Harry Lord all were injected into the fray yesterday, and added greatly to the gaiety of the situation.

"Impossible! Impossible! Impossible!" ejaculated President Darmody in tersely passing on the qualifications of these men. "I am looking for a young man, who can play ball and win games as well as manage the club. If I am going to have a beach manager why not retain Dillon?"

That Ivan Olson, while not Darmody's original choice, could have the job for the asking, there seems to be not the slightest doubt.

Darmody had been negotiating with another major leaguer, but met with no success, and must now start on another tack.

And behind the report that Olson can have the job managing the Angels is to be found the real animus that prompted him to star in the ranks of organized baseball, and publicly declare his willingness to sign with Cincinnati.

Not until he had been seen by Darmody and Berry, did Olson decide to give the Feds the marble mit.

When Olson emerged from that conference it was with the assurance that he could have the management of a club in the Coast League, wherever he decided to drop out of the majors.

It is known that Darmody is to receive assistance from the Cincinnati club, and he acted as Garry Herrmann's personal representative in lining up Olson for the Reds. Going even further back, it is found that Darmody purchased the Los Angeles club only after being advised to do so by Herrmann. They are friends of many years standing.

While there has been no announcement of a working agreement between the two clubs, their relations appear to be extremely close.

Darmody admits having discussed Olson's qualifications with McCredie, under whom the Viking played for two years.

"McCredie tells me that he is one of the smartest ball players in the business, as well as one of the most nervy," said Darmody. "Also that he is a man who will win games for any ball club, either as a manager or a player, or both."

Olson admits that he has been offered a managerial berth on the Coast.

That this was the bait thrown out to induce him to stick with organized baseball seems certain.

"If Olson doesn't have a club in this league next season, he will the following year," declared a man who stands high in the affairs of the Coast League, "providing, of course, that waivers can be secured on him."

Olson admits that he would like to play on the Coast as a player-manager next season, the financial inducements being equal. But his Cleveland contract, which has been assumed by Cincinnati, and which has another year to run, calls for more money than the Coast League clubs have been in a habit of paying their managers.

"Naturally, I would hesitate about accepting any offer which did not call for as much money as my present contract," said he.

Olson was with Portland in the championship years of 1910 and 1911. For the past three years he has acted as field captain of the Cleveland club. President Somers contemplated making him manager of the Naps last season, but "inside" politics resulted in Birmingham landing the plum.

The Sixth Team.

JUDGE M'CREDIE FAVORS FRANCHISE FOR SALT LAKE.

Secret Meeting of the Pacific Coast League Magnates. No Definite Word Came from Sacramento—Believed that San Diego Could not Support a Team After the Fair Enthusiasm is Over.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Judge W. W. McCredie looks upon Salt Lake City as a favorable place for Pacific Coast Baseball League. That probably means that the Sacramento franchise will go to the Mormons.

"If Salt Lake City is able to spread fifteen weeks of baseball over a period of thirty weeks, then I am heartily in favor of introducing the Utah city into the Pacific Coast League. Any move that is made would be better than having a second squad in San Francisco."

That is his answer to the query wired him tonight by the magnates of the Pacific Coast League in session at this city.

President A. T. Baum, Henry Berry, Frank Leavitt and Jack Cook held a secret conference here today that lasted the whole afternoon. President Baum made no announcement at its end except that it was informal.

No word has come from Sacramento. The capital city fans and business men are slower than was anticipated in making good their boast to raise money with which to handle a club.

The magnates feel that the sixth club should be located this week, or, at least, before New Year's day.

The wire to Judge McCredie is significant. Henry Berry likes Salt Lake City. While in the southland Berry talked matters over with Darmody, Stevens and E. A. Vandeventer, the Salt Lake City representative and understands the attitude of the Angel owners.

"Salt Lake City," said President Baum after today's meeting, "will has a good chance for admission to the league. The San Diego people are enthusiastic over the fair, but under normal conditions that city hasn't the population of Sacramento."

BRAVES TO HAVE NEW GRANDSTAND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—One-story cement stands capable of seating approximately 41,000 spectators will be built at the Boston National League club's new baseball park in the Allston district, President James E. Gaffney said today that the grounds would be constructed something after the manner of the Polo Grounds.

Pretty Much Speed.

MASTER DRIVER GIVES STOCK MODEL GROOMING.

SIXTY miles an hour in a Packard roadster is the latest record scored by Barney Oldfield, master driver of the world.

Before a small crowd of friends and admirers at Ascot Park, Tuesday afternoon, the veteran driver turned several fast laps in a new stock Packard, proving the speed and power claimed for the machine.

Oldfield owns a Packard touring car, but this was not used for the speed tests. A new machine was taken off the salesroom floor for the workout. After driving several circuits to warm the motor and limber the car up, Barney opened up and showed what the stock model had.

On the straightaways the car did better than sixty miles an hour, and the Ascot track was lapped in 1m. 5s. with ease. The track was in excellent condition and the man who is to meet Bob Burman in the fifty-mile match race Sunday said that if the car had not been so stiff he would have been able to show ever better speed than a mile a minute.

Fast Stuff.

Barney Oldfield at wheel of Packard roadster just before start of speed trials at Ascot Park.

Below, Oldfield rounding into the stretch at a mile a minute in the stock car.

SEVEN MEMBERS ON RULES COMMITTEE.

NATIONAL COMMISSION VOTES TO INCREASE NUMBER ON JOINT COMMITTEE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Dec. 16.—Section 1, article III of the National baseball agreement has been amended by the concurrent vote of each major league of the National Association by increasing the membership of the joint committee on playing rules to seven members, according to a National Commission notice issued today. As amended and effective from today on this section and article will read as follows:

"Whenever the commission certifies to the president of each major league and to the secretary of the National Association that, in its judgment, the playing rules require amendment, a joint committee of three representatives from each major league and one representative of the National Association shall meet on or before October 15 of the year in which such notice is served and adopt a code of rules.

Limousines.

CLOSED MODELS FEATURE PASADENA'S AUTO SHOW.

ONE of the most interesting features of the Pasadena automobile show which will be held January 7, 8 and 9 at the Hotel Maryland will be the display of enclosed models. Southern California is becoming one of the best markets for closed cars, despite the fact that it is an open car, fair weather country the year around.

The limousine, sedan and coupe are being bought by women owners. Especially is the sedan popular with the woman owner-driver. She uses this car in shopping, calling and even for opera and the more important social functions.

Almost every exhibitor at the Pasadena show will have on display one or more enclosed cars.

The advancement in motor car design this season has been marked by individuality in finish and equipment of these models. The conventional upholstering has in many cases been departed from, and many novel upholstering and finishes will be exhibited at the Pasadena show.

The convertible car, too, will have its place. Many large makers have placed on the market this year cars which may be used either as touring and roadster models or cabriolets. The roadster-cabriolet usually seats three passengers and the touring car-cabriolet five or seven. It is so constructed that the door windows and the side windows disappear into the frame when it is desired to use the car as an open model. The top, of leather, is constructed to fold neatly into a boot and give the appearance of an ordinary touring car top.

WINNER GETS WHOLE STAKE.

BARNEY AND BURMAN AGREE ON WHOLE HOG OR NONE POLICY.

There will be no losers' end of the $5000 purse hung up for the Burman-Oldfield track championship duel. The two pilots met last night and agreed that their first meeting would be on a winner take all basis.

Burman was the one who made the proposition, but he found Oldfield a most willing person to do business with. Some time ago, when the match between the speed king and the master driver was first proposed Barney declared that unless the purse were all given to the winner he would refuse to drive. When it came to signing articles the winner-take-all clause was forgotten, but a new paragraph was inserted in the contract between the two men, and the race put on the "whole hog or none" basis.

Extensive repairs on Burman's French Peugeot were completed yesterday, and the speed king will joyride his creation around the Ascot oval this morning. Burman and Oldfield have agreed that the former shall have the track to himself in the mornings, while Barney can practice in the afternoon.

SOUTH TO HAVE FISH HATCHERY.

COMMISSIONER PRITCHARD IS WORKING FOR HATCHERY BUILT IN SOUTH.

State Fish and Game Commissioner Pritchard is working hard in the interests of a State hatchery for Southern California.

The only hatchery in the State at the present time is located at Sisson, and the transporting of the fish to Southern California waters constitutes a long and expensive journey.

Mr. Pritchard's plan is to build a big hatchery here in the south which shall be as efficient as the one at Sisson, and from which the local streams may be stocked with less expense and trouble.

Money is holding up the proposition at the present time and the plans haven't as yet matured, but Mr. Pritchard has several locations in mind and the site for the hatchery will be chosen as quickly as the money is forthcoming for the establishment.

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CLUBS TO HOLD BOXING CONTEST.

L.A.A.C. AND PASADENA TO MIX DECEMBER 21; A.A.U. RULES TO GOVERN.

The Pasadena Athletic Association is to stage the first boxing contests under the new law in the Crown City December 21 and a card has been arranged which promises lots of excitement.

Several of the Los Angeles Athletic Club boxers are to compete as well as several others who in the past have won honors for Pasadena.

Pete Towne, Reynolds, Hunefeld, of the Los Angeles Athletic Club are to appear, and Charlie Bowling, Steadman, Sturman, Murphy and several other good boys of the Pasadena Athletic Association are also to box.

The meet is to be held under strict A.A.U. rules and the prizes for the bouts will be an Elgin watch, a double-breasted watch chain, military hair brushes, two watch fobs and a signet ring, the prizes ranging in value from $7 to $10.

NOTED MEMBER JOCKEY CLUB DIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—John C. Follansbee, financier and steward of the Jockey Club, died yesterday afternoon at Summit, N. J. He had been in poor health for many months. Until racing met reverses in the East, Mr. Follansbee owned and raced many noted horses. He was largely interested in western and Mexican ranch properties.

LIVERNASH IS 1915 CAPTAIN.

Len ("Husky") Livernash will be captain of the 1915 U.S.C. football team. He was elected by the members of this year's Trojan varsity at their football banquet in the Hollenbeck Hotel. All the men who won letters were present and voted.

Livernash is a back field man. He played left half in the Whittier game. He was injured then and did not play against Occidental or Pomona. He got into the Oregon Aggie game in Tacoma.

Livernash won the captaincy over "Jimmy" James, the Trojan star end, by the vote of one man.

Coach Glaze, Capt. Davis and Len Livernash gave short talks. Coach Glaze thanked the men for their willing attitude and work during the season and urged all who did not graduate to come back. Capt. Davis thanked the men for standing behind him. Livernash told them that he would try and make them a good captain.

HOWARD DREW TO COACH NEGRO STUDENT SPRINTERS.

HOWARD DREW, America's premier sprinter, now blossoms out as a coach. He is going to see what he can do with Brashear and Pascal, the Whittier State School sprinters.

Drew watched these two negro boys run in the L.A.A.C. indoor meet. Their showing was so remarkable, in spite of their awkwardness, that he thinks he can make Brashear, at least, his successor. He will drop out to Whittier twice a week and teach them the fine points, mostly showing them how he does it.

Brashear was easily the surprise of the indoor meet. He left the High School runners yards behind. In the open forty-yard dash, Drew alone beat him. He gives more promise than any sprinter in the south.

It is quite possible that Drew may develop the man who is to snatch the laurels off his head. Drew will have the satisfaction of yielding to a man of his own race if that is to be the case.

Big Stuff.

FOREIGN CARS ENTERED FOR SAN DIEGO RACES.

THE San Diego Exposition road race, which is scheduled for the spectacular Point Loma course, January 9, has already taken on the appearance of an international affair.

Two French Peugeots have been entered and the third is assured. The two machines owned by the Peugeot Import Company of New York have both been entered. Eddie Rickenbacher is to drive one entry. The second pilot is still unnamed. There is a well-grounded rumor afloat, however, to the effect that Gaston Morris will be up on the second Peugeot.

Rickenbacher left Columbus, O., yesterday morning after spending a few days visiting his mother and is due to reach Los Angeles Friday evening.

While Bob Burman has not entered his car at San Diego, he has told close friends here that he will drive in the January 9 event and has made all arrangements for housing his car near the course. The reason given by Burman for not having entered at this time is the match race with Barney Oldfield next Sunday and he does not want to pay his entry money until he is sure that his car will be ready for the speed trials before the great race.

The three Duesenbergs have been entered and are to be piloted by Allen, O'Donnell and Callaghan. The Thais car, entered by Frederick Robinson of San Diego, is to be piloted by Fred McCarthy, formerly of the Peugeot team, very probably.

Arthur Klein, who drove one of the Stutz cars at Corona, has entered his own machine, the Klein-King at San Diego and will be at the wheel of his own fast King.

No Stutz entries have been received as yet, according to A. M. Young, who is managing the San Diego race, but it is believed that the Stutz racing interests will be well represented in the battle for the $10,000 purse at San Diego, January 9.

It was officially announced yesterday that practice would start Saturday, January 2. The Los Angeles automobile colony is to be well represented at San Diego at the opening of the exposition and the cars entered in the race are to be on exhibition at the fair on opening day and one of the New Year's features in the Southern California exposition city is to be the parade of motor cars, which is slated for the afternoon of January 1.

Los Angeles Day at the San Diego Exposition is to be celebrated January 9, the day of the road race and already hundreds of reservations have been made in the southern city for the rate data, by local motor race enthusiasts.

HOLIDAY TOURNEYS FOR SAN GABRIEL.

TWO TOURNAMENTS ARRANGED CHRISTMAS DAY; FOURSOMES NEW YEAR'S.

Geoffrey Purcell and George Cline conspired together yesterday and worked out a programme for the golf enthusiasts of the San Gabriel Club, according to which the said enthusiasts may amuse themselves all day Christmas and on New Year's afternoon.

Bill Bacon was the third member of the committee, but being mired in the wilds of Duarte, was unable to be present at the roll call.

After grave deliberation the committee announced that there will be two complete tournaments on Christmas Day.

In the morning there will be an eighteen-hole handicap against par with three-quarters handicap in holes up. The players will be divided into A, B and C classes with a prize for each class.

In the afternoon there will be an eighteen-hole tombstone event for the Shoreham trophy donated by Walter Brode, and first and second prizes will be awarded in this event.

On New Year's afternoon there will be an eighteen-hole, two-ball mixed foursome event, handicap against par, for which two prizes will be given.

Eddie Casey, captain of the Phillip Exeter football team of last season, will enter Harvard.

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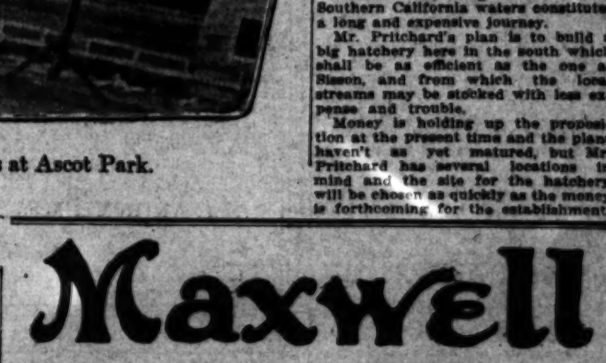

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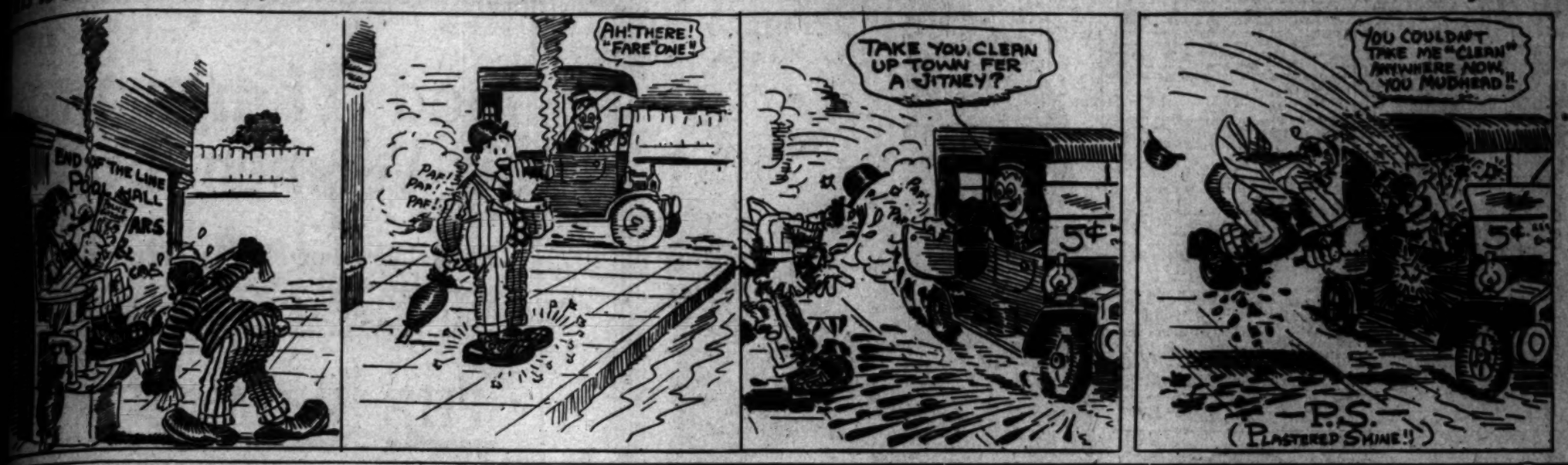

Fallen Heroes.

...M OF $14.70 SPLITS THE NEW YORK GIANTS.

...s Divided City Series Share Set Apart for Rob... Who was Absent— Secretary Foster Writes to ... on Coast Asking Them to Return Money. ... Refuse to Divvy.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

...the story of a "small ..." controversy in a big town ... controversy that is likely to ... a chuckle throughout the ...

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...Before the close of the ..., as the story runs, Rob... ...to be relieved from duty ...to return to the pursuit of ...have aspires to be a ..., and when McGraw per... ...to leave the club before ...the man it was with the ...ing that he would return to ...direct a few equines, and ...to manage his store of ...

...eligible for the city series, ...declared that he would share ...of that great classic.

...REMITTING.

...person claims that they ...to learn right in the ...down deal with the ...person, instead of en... ...by exploring the in... ...here, was hunting ...the pristine forests of ...Brazil, and other... ...himself.

...war was called in the ...final game. One of ...stated that Robertson's ...from the minutes and ...of the series be appor... ...members in good ...standing was kindly ap... ...resolution adopted ...with loud applause.

...the series all right ..., but they frequent... ...what might have ...in a regular demon...

with the bat, at times. A situation might have arisen where the result of that series would have depended on a hit in a pinch. In that case, Robertson would have come in mighty handy. Nothing like that happened, but it made the players wild to think of the predicament they would have been in with Dave in the woods out of the reach of the umpire's voice and many miles from the nearest telegraph office.

COUNTED OUT.

Therefore, they voted that Robertson should not receive any money for failing to save a series that never was in any danger of being lost, and each player present betook unto himself $14.70, thus depriving the rising young horse doctor of his share.

When Dave heard of this he began crying aloud in the wilderness, and having a fine voice, he succeeded in making himself heard in far-away Gotham. Robertson is a promising young player, and President Hempstead did not want him to become peeved or dissatisfied, or secede to the Federals.

And while Dave's Macedonian cry was still reverberating through the forest, he instructed Secretary Foster to address epistles to all the absent members suggesting that they come through and enrich Robertson in the sum of $14.70 each.

Some of the players, ever ready to assist a struggling young horse doctor, responded with postal orders for the amount. Others replied that while they were in favor of charity, and would not hesitate to contribute that amount to the battling Belgians, they would see Robertson in h—ll or the Federal League before separating themselves from any money for his benefit.

Thus the New York team is divided into two distinct classes—those who have settled with Robertson and those who haven't.

ARMY CONTESTS ARE POSTPONED.

The aeroplane contests by the army scouts for the Mackay trophy have been postponed until December 22. The commander at San Diego called tomorrow's contests off as soon as the rain set in.

The army trucks were on their way to Los Angeles, but were headed off and called back.

The rules of this new war game require that the aeroplane scouts stay at a height of 3000 feet. That would keep the clouds between them and the detachments they were supposed to locate.

STAN MITCHELL PLAYS DUNNIGAN.

OLYMPIC CLUB HANDBALL TEAM MAY COME HERE FOR DUAL TOURNAMENT.

Tomorrow at noon Stan Mitchell and Ray Dunnigan mingle on the L.A.A.C. courts for the handball championship of the club, the same being the property of Mr. Dunnigan at the present time, and having once been held by Mr. Mitchell in prehistoric times.

The ease with which both of these gladiators polished off their opponents, Joe Amestoy falling before Dunnigan and Joe Lacey before Mitchell, shows that the two aspirants are in wonderful form. Lacey, who was beaten by Mitchell, is a former champion and was playing in good form when beaten.

Both of the men make a specialty of hard play, setting a killing pace throughout, and keeping the ball on the go all the time.

Ed Caley is showing wonderful improvement in class A and looks like a member of the championship class one of these days. He is to meet Ellis Elkeles in the near future and stands a good chance of running away with the honors in his class.

Arrangements are now on the way to bring the Olympic Club handball demons down here to play in a dual tournament with the L.A.A.C. boys. They will come south either in the late part of January or early in February, and will compete in both doubles and singles, probably three men composing the teams.

The local club now has five men in the championship class, with Ed Caley, Elkeles and Mow Mitchell not so very far in the rear. Stan Mitchell and Ray Dunnigan seem to be the best of the bunch, with Joe Lacey, Joe Amestoy and Dick Retzer, who has recently returned to the club, so close up that it is difficult to pick and choose between them.

It had been intended to bring the Olympic Clubmen south last year, but they played with tennis balls, so Nye Williams, handball impressario, forwarded them a box of the regulation handballs used by the local club and, thus enlightened, they have been practicing with civilized weapons and are anxious to meet the local whirlwinds.

DONOHUE TO ENTER ALL-AROUND MEET.

OLYMPIC MAN TO RETURN TO ATHLETICS—MADE RECORDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Jim Donohue, one of the two Los Angeles boys who won international fame at Stockholm in 1912, has just about decided to get into the harness again and compete for the national all-round title at San Francisco this coming year.

Jim has been out of the game ever since he took second place in the Decathalon in Sweden. He attempted to compete with Fred Thomson in the 1913 national all-round championship, but was taken ill with ptomaine poisoning just before the event and was unable to compete.

Jim has a hunch that he is destined to do great things in the coming championships, because it was in San Francisco, or in Berkeley, to be exact, that he set the best marks in all-round events that he has ever made.

Donohue will be remembered as being the only westerner to attempt to make the all-round team, and he took part in a little "solo" meet on the Berkeley track, on which occasion he easily surpassed the marks made by Jim Thorpe in the tryouts.

Donohue on that occasion did 5 ft. 9 in. in the high jump, 22 ft. 3 in. in the board jump, 11 ft. 6 in. in the pole vault, 193 ft. in the javelin; 36 ft. 4 in. in the shot put, 90 ft. in the discus, the 100 meters in 11 1-5s., the 400 meters in 51s. flat, the 1500 meters in 4m 50s., and the 120 hurdles in 15 4-5s.—a truly remarkable performance.

With Donohue's entry Southern California promises to have a wonderful list of entries, with Fred Thomson, Fred Kelly, Donohue, "Pelly" Thomson and Roy Bagnard.

Johns Hopkins students may form a swimming team.

Dog Show.

SCOTCH AIREDALES TO BE ON EXHIBITION TONIGHT.

FIFTY husky Scotch Airedales are to be shown in the first meeting of the Airedale Club of Southern California on the second floor of The Times Building tomorrow night.

Several international champions are to be shown and a number of puppy class have been provided to encourage the breeding of these younger dogs.

His Highness, an international champion, owned by Dr. H. G. Pyle, president of the club, will be shown along with five or six of his puppies. English champion Baughfell Briar, owned by Kyle Onstott, and Ragtime, owned by Burt Wheeler, are two other well-known dogs to be exhibited.

There will be five classes, divided as follows: Puppies from 3 to 6 months, puppies from 6 to 9 months, puppies under one year. The older dogs will get their opportunity to shine in the under eighteen months and open classes.

The dogs will be judged by E. M. Robertson, late of England, and no admission will be charged for these matches, which are to be held every month.

CHESS NOTES.

An interesting game, just finished in the Stalu Quo chess correspondence tournament, is that won by Allen G. Fearnall of Chula Vista from V. Asher of Redlands, the score of which is appended. The play leading up to black's sacrifice of the knight is very creditable and the subsequent ending well conducted on his part. Notes are those of the winner.

GUICO PIANO OPENING.

Asher. (white.)	Fearnall. (black.)
1P-K4	P-K4
2Kt-KB3	Kt-QB3
3B-B4	B-B4
4Kt-B3	Kt-B3
5P-Q3	P-Q3
6B-K3	Q-R3(a)
7BxB	PxB
8B-Kt5	B-Q2
9Kt-Q5	Q-Q3
10P-B4(b)	P-QR3(c)
11B-R4	R-Q
12Castles	Kt-K2
13B-B2	Kt-Kt3
14Q-Q3	P-R3(d)
15P-KR3	Kt-R4
16QR-Q	Castles
17KR-K	P-QB3
18Kt-K3	Kt(R4)-B5
19Kt-B5	Q-B2
20Q-K2	P-Kt3
21P-QKt4	PxP
22QxP(e)	KR-K(f)
23K-R3(g)	KtxKtP
24K-Kt	Kt-B5ch
25K-R3(h)	BxKt
26PxB	QxP
27Kt-Kt5(i)	PxKt
28Q-K2	R-Q8
29R-KKt	KtxRP
30QxKt(j)	R-R3
31QxR	PxQ
32R-Kt2	Q-B4
33R-K	Q-B5ch

Resigns, as Q-Q7 would follow.

(a) To get him off the books. But I do not think black need fear doubling the pawns in this position.

(b) A poor move, indirectly causing all the trouble.

(c) I did not wish to force the exchange of bishops. This move allows him to withdraw to B3 to protect the weak pawn, and the bishop dies there.

(d) I did not want white queen to reach KKt5 and Kt5.

(e) Helping black's plan along.

(f) To guard the KP. Otherwise white king might escape by way of Kt5 after the coming sacrifice.

(g) Beginning to get uneasy.

(h) K-R is rather better, but I think black should win.

(i) Necessary to avoid mate.

(k) The position is hopeless, anyway.

Bob Crompton, the expert soccer football player of England, considered the greatest back of all times, has played 508 league matches for Blackburn Rovers, and is still going strong. Crompton played his first game against Scotland in 1902, and it seems highly probable that he will make his thirteenth appearance against the Scots at Hillsborough next April. Meredith of Manchester City and Manchester United fame, at present suspended for an indiscretion, has played 321 league games out of a possible 451 since 1894.

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ATHLETES GIVE LADIES NIGHT.

Ladies night is to be celebrated at the Los Angeles Athletic Club this evening with a programme of athletic vaudeville. Among the numbers, a gymnastic and calisthenic drill by the junior class hold a prominent place.

Martin Sheckles and Jimmy Jordon do hand balancing. Mark Jones and George Boom appear as comedy tumblers and weight lifters. Noah Young also is scheduled for a weight-lifting act.

Lester Sayler, comedy contortionist, and Herman Glass and champion Gleason, on flying rings, are rare entertainers.

Pete Towne and Jack Geyer box at 158 pounds, and Willie Hunted spars Charles Adamor, both at 125 pounds. Wrestling bouts are to fill their share.

Turn Out.

...A.C. HAS BIG SHAKE-UP OF ATHLETIC MEMBERS.

...of the Los Angeles Ath... ...Club's oldest athletes are ... to these mornings to ... such names have been ...conspicuously from the ...list.

...some lost their athletic ... a single last night. The ... of the Athletic Committee ... have not yet begun to ... go through the ... and keep every man who is ... of athletics or who has ... and is willing to ... will be no more dead ... in spite of humdrum ...

...meeting is being done in ... and good ath... ...committee has rushed a ... list of men who had ... anything in ... have gone out of water. ...the fakers have ... the club will make a ... to remove the crack ... not be allowed ... to join. They will have to report to the coaches in charge of their specialties and train. When the games or meets come along, it will be up to them to get out and compete or quit.

The club will make a serious effort from now on to stand high in all athletics. They will make it such an honor to be on their teams that they will secure the cream. They will make it possible for the athletes to develop themselves and improve instead of slip in their events.

The cause of this upheaval in club athletics is the new Athletic Committee which has been given absolute charge of this branch of the club's life. The members are John B. Franklin, chairman; Bob Weaver, secretary; Mow Mitchell, F. W. Young and G. M. Wallace. They are as efficient a committee as the club could have named. Every man knows athletics and is a worker. What Franklin, Weaver and Mitchell do not know is not worth knowing.

Among the many who are being dropped are the professionals. Every man must have an A.A.U. card.

Bamo humdrum athletics! Vive honest-to-goodness teams!

Al Walton, captain

Of the L.A.A.C. Rugby team, which will play the Olympic Club team for the benefit of the Belgian relief fund.

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AT THE STAGE DOOR

BY GRACE KINGSLEY

Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson is being negotiated with by the Lasky Company to put into picture form some of his great stage successes, at the end of his present American tour. He has not yet given a decided answer.

The thousands of devoted admirers of the great actor will be delighted to learn that even after he has retired to private life, his work may be perpetuated on the screen. Kipling's "The Light that Failed," and Jerome's "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" are among the plays mentioned.

Forbes-Robertson has already appeared in a film version of "Hamlet," which will be released in this country at the end of his present tour. The picture was made in England.

Regarding film work, the eminent actor states that he believes the art of pantomime is being perfected through the moving pictures.

"I found the work of appearing before the camera very, very different from stage work," said Forbes-Robertson. "The actor accustomed to the stage at first feels very hampered by his physical limitations, and not using his voice, the peculiar requirements of the film-stage directions, etc. But the work was very interesting, once I became accustomed to it."

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T. L. Tally has improved the acoustics of his theater in regard to the organ music, by a beautiful stained-glass window device, fitted with vent holes and placed at the side of the theater. It permits the tone values of the organ much better opportunity. Auditors at the back of the theater can also hear to better advantage.

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Dustin Farnum is appearing in the film version of his big stage success, "Captain Courtesy." One hundred and fifty people were working with him on location in the San Fernando Valley, yesterday.

"We all wore buckskin clothes," he said last night, "so we kept reasonably warm. But when we gathered around the fire in the ranch-house to dry ourselves, why, that's another tale, as Kipling says. Didst ever hear of the young man who wore buckskin clothing in the rain, and it stretched and stretched? Well, he was going to call on his girl that night, so he cut off a couple of feet from his trouser legs and a couple of feet from the sleeves, and after he had been calling on that girl for about half an hour, he had to leave suddenly for fear he'd be choked to death!"

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Dr. Leonard Sugden, the Alaskan pioneer who will be at Clune's Auditorium next week with his marvelous scenic films of the far north, is greatly amused by the things he sees in the streets. To see a man with an overcoat never fails to cause him to smile, and the sight of a set of furs brings a broad grin to his face.

"Up where I come from, we don't put on overcoats till the cold weather comes," he says, "and furs are for winter, my forty below zero."

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Miss Elphyr Snowden, at the Orpheum this week, in those delicious dances, says she can't remember when she couldn't trip the light fantastic. Still, that isn't so long, either!

When she was 5 and was dancing in a minuet for a church fair, she says she remembers being dreadfully perturbed as to whether she should be a missionary or a circus rider. So she compromised on musical comedy, the missionary of the T.B.M.!

Miss Snowden considers vaudeville work excellent training for a performer.

"It keeps one up to his best all the time," she said. "There's no letting down. One must get the crowd as soon as he gets on the stage."

Miss Snowden is contemplating doing an act "single" next season in vaudeville, with singing as the main feature. But the magnetic lady has had much training and experience as a dancer, having understudied Genee for a year, practicing under that noted dancer's direction for an hour each day.

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Blanche Ring, in a skit entitled "Oh, Papa!" a vaudeville version of "Vivian's Papas," is headed for the Los Angeles Orpheum.

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The Treville boys, with the seals, at the Orpheum, have just imported an additional seal from Catalina, which they are training to work with the others.

At present, however, "Diogenes" takes mean advantage of the fact that he is an amateur by hopping into the big tank below-stairs as soon as his fellow-seals leave for the stage, and when they come back they have a fight to get in. Sometimes he succeeds in keeping the others out for an hour or two and they wail like lost souls.

Notice how independently those two seals come onto the stage and light into the tank? Apparently they love hiking into the tank, for the boys have to hold them by force as soon as they hear the music, which means they are to go on shortly.

Also they climb the stairs without any assistance from below when it's time for them to go on. Yesterday one of the boys was late, having had some trouble in getting ready for the stage, and the seal came back to get him! Anyhow, that's what the boy says, but maybe the seal just wanted to send a telegram or something.

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Kathlyn Williams is having twenty-four magnificent dresses made for her role in "The Ne'er-do-Well," which the Selig company is to start filming within the next two weeks.

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For once the red-headed girl is to come into her own!

The Orpheum announces that next Monday, when "The Red Heads" opens its Christmas week bill, it will admit all red-headed girls at the opening matinee free. Of course wigs are barred. Also mail-order blondes. But anyone with natural tresses, who will admit that they are red, Titian, sunburn, carroty or plain red, will have a reserved seat. A box is to be set aside for Mrs. Leslie Carter, whose aureole of sun-kissed locks is famed.

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Sascha Pistov, who is dancing at the Orpheum this week, was for three years instructor of dancing at the court of the King of Sweden. He is a Russian, educated in the Czar's ballet school.

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Gus Elmore, who plays the grammat draped savage warrior in "Cannibal Isle" at Pantages, has invented a new language. Gus didn't want to do it, but he couldn't find anyone to teach him Fijian lingo. It's a real language, he says, and every word has a meaning.

According to Manager Walker, who is studying it, "Woof" means "I'll take the same," which is as far as the Pantages manager has pursued the subject.

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Anna Revere disclaims any relationship to Paul Revere, the famous night-rider. The little Pantages actress says that people who boast about ancestors are like turnips; the best part of them is underground!

Witzel Photo

Elizabeth Burbridge, leading woman of the Ince companies.

Above is Dorothy Gish, one of the dainty little girls who are seen in the D. W. Griffith feature films.

BAD ROADS AND BAD WEATHER.

AUTOMOBILE MAGNATES ON A STRENUOUS BUSINESS TRIP.

M. S. Williams and A. E. Griffin, president and vice-president of the Western Auto Sub-casing Company, have returned to this city after completing a motor trip through the Northern California territory in a Buick roadster.

The two men traveled 1500 miles over some of the worst roads in California and in very bad weather. The trip led them over the coast road north, and the return run was over the valley route. The worst roads met were on the coast from Santa Barbara to Salinas.

The valley road would have been better traveling, it is claimed, had it not been for the rain storms encountered. From November 25 to December 12, they had continual rain with the exception of one day and on that day the roads traveled were inches deep in mud.

During the trip they visited Santa Barbara, Santa Maria, King City, Salinas, Monterey, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Hollister, Gilroy, Morgan Hill San Jose, San Francisco. Then to Oakland, Stockton, Sacramento, Merced, Fresno, Bakersfield and back to Los Angeles by way of Tehachepi.

The business accomplished and the new agencies established more than compensated for the disagreeable features of the tour. A feature of the trip was that they had no tire troubles, and the Fisher "Rim Grip" sub-casing is now familiar to almost every district of this State.

HAIDEE CLAYTON AT THE BENEFIT.

Not the least interesting feature of the performance, in German, of "Das Opferiamm," for the benefit of the German Red Cross fund, at the Majestic Theater next Sunday evening, will be the appearance in one of the important roles of Haidee Clayton. Away from the footlight realm Miss Clayton is better known as Mrs. George M. Clayton, wife of the popular treasurer of the Morosco Theater.

Mrs. Clayton on a number of earlier occasions has demonstrated her undeniable cleverness as an interpreter of "character parts" in amateur productions. So pronouncedly good has been her histrionic efforts that she attracted the attention of several managers who held out roseate promises of a professional future to her, but she has withstood the blandishments of a stage career in preference to occasional appearances for charity.

Hadie Clayton.

Mrs. Clayton is possessed of a rare blonde beauty, which she does not hesitate to conceal under the requirements of "character" make-up.

"Das Opferiamm" was made known to the theater-goers of this city several years ago at the Mason Opera-house by Richard Carle. The Carle version was called "Jumping Jupiter," and local playgoers will recall it as an unusually funny farce with laughs galore and splendid opportunities for a number of individual hits aside from that scored by the star.

Saturday Decides It.

WOODLAND WINS RIGHT TO PLAY POMONA FOR TITLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, Dec. 16.—The Palo Alto-Woodland rugby game for the northern High School championship was played this afternoon and Woodland won, 3 to 0, according to telegraphic advices received by Principal Reynolds and Coach Evans tonight. There has been much wrangling over this contest, which was thought would be played next Saturday. This settles the question of time and place for the State championship game, as the Woodland team has agreed by telegraph to come to Pomona and meet the local lads—champions of Central and Southern California—on next Saturday for the final game. The local school authorities have already commenced preparations for a large crowd and Coach Evans will get the Cardinals into championship form. He has had them under light training since the last game with Dinuba High School and all of the lads are in good condition. L. S. Reading of San Mateo, who refereed the Manual Arts-Pomona game, has been wired tonight by Principal Reynolds to officiate at Saturday's game. It is expected that a big crowd of students from the High Schools of Los Angeles will come here to see the game.

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...Window.

...-COBBLER ...TH BUCKSHOT.

...d Man Vows He Will ...ill Assailants.

...d Mystery Stirs ...alian Colony.

...ighbors are Held on Suspicion.

...the Black Hand mystery ...night startled the Italian ...on East Ninth street de... ...the probable fatal shoot... ...Rossini, an Italian ...of No. 2104 East Ninth ...the Italians, neighbors, were ...ssing the shooting.

...with a double-barrelled shot... ...the screen door of the ...ation, the mysterious as... ...loaded with buckshot into ...his body. Before any one in ...household could reach the ...doctor had fled. Mr. Ros... ...to the door of his little shop ...holes in his right shoulder ...

...is led in the Receiving Hos... ...ompanied by his wife and two ...ildren. Mr. Rossini declared ...ssible that Joe Marsalasi, a ...No. 2109 East Ninth street, ...17-year-old son, Joe, are re... ...for the attack on his life. ...ey were arrested and booked ...

...ULD KILL THEM.

...g himself to his elbows when ...ini and his son were taken to ...ad by Detectives Winn and ...Dr. Rossini defied Dr. John... ...hospital and screamed that ...not die, but would live to ...the men whom he declares ...Nurse Whitehead was ...ding the cobbler to his cot ...him from endeavoring to ...the alleged assailants.

...to Mrs. Mary Rossini, who ...their children to bed in ...m of the little shoe shop ...of the shooting, the two ...were seen by her to flee ...out of the house following ...flash of the men were iden... ...woman after their cap... ...police.

...prisoners denied that they ...all of their residences at ...shots were fired through ...door.

...to Detectives Erven, ...and Burgess, who inves... ...case, the person or per... ...committed the crime must ...that Mr. Rossini would ...his work bench and also ...with the location of the ...shots, the detectives said, ...through the screen door ...ion of about ten feet. The ...ing the gun must have ...the way, standing on the ...

...possible way in which the ...could have escaped, the de... ...out, was by running ...rear-by houses, as sev... ...on the scene of the ...in a minute after the ...Joe Marsalasi lives ...Rossini residence.

...BLACK HAND.

...night seemed unable ...any good reason for the at... ...Mrs. Rossini in a ...declared that the shoot... ...been the outcome of ...between her husband and ...neighborhood. The po... ...that the shooting is the ...Black-hand organization ...for some time been under ...police.

...to Dr. Johnson Mrs. Ros... ...chance of recovery and ...through the day.

...ATIONS OF RAIN.

...Sections Nearly Dry ...Springs Start Increased ...Before Rainfall.

...North America:] We ...some rather queer stunts ...some things we ob... ...cannot help but believe ...understand. ...sections of the country, ...localities where hills ...abound, when there ...long-continued drouth and ...and running springs ...are dry or very low, ...have learned to watch ...and streams for indica... ...approaching rainfall. ...usually about twenty... ...before the much... ...appear, the springs start ...renewed vigor just as if ...abundance of water in ...of the earth from whence ...came. The little dried... ...seem to be running ...and water, and the rain ...

...more difficult to observe ...but in quite a few instances ...the observation of the ...water rose in wells that ...dry, and in a few cases ...increase of several inches ...of the water in the well. ...the moisture in the ...has an influence upon the ...and especially upon the ...air, and there must ...some hidden force that ...moisture to the surface ...is an approaching con... ...is apt to produce pre...

...mountainous sections the ...in streams of water ...ers, and miners who ...for gold and other val... ...frequently discover ...running streams that ...dry, until a sudden gush ...to the surface some ...valuable metal they ...for, inflicting rich de...

...also frequently assists in... ...mankind in finding the ...of other, and unless Nature ...signs we are apt to ...some very important leads ...we are traveling in ...the better things of this ...world.

...Power for Victory.

...Peace:] This is ...with the German Em... ...intended for use in ...Christmas churches dur... ...carol, "Almighty, ...Lord of Hosts, we ...Thine almighty help ...be conferred. Bless ...our arms, lead us ...in grace that we ...to Christians also ...Let us soon al... ...nothing the ...of Germany."

MANY HURT BY SKIDDING AUTOS.

HALF DOZEN PERSONS INJURED IN SIX ACCIDENTS; NONE FATAL.

Wet streets early last night were the cause of six automobile accidents which resulted in six persons being treated at the Receiving Hospital. For over three hours the police ambulance was kept busy hauling the injured to the hospital and two doctors were at work in the hospital.

The first of the long string of accidents occured when an automobile driven by Dr. L. F. Luckie of No. 515 Westlake avenue and containing Miss Esther Roen of No. 6759 Yucca street crashed into the rear of a truck driven by William Terry, No. 2343 Hunter street. The doctor's machine was wrecked and he was taken to the Receiving Hospital suffering from many lacerations and a fractured breast bone. The young woman was not injured. The accident occurred at Alvarado street and Sunset boulevard.

While crossing the street at Seventh and Flower streets, Howard Riley of No. 936 Potter Park avenue was struck by the skidding automobile of B. L. Chapman of No. 112 North Wellington street. Lacerations and bruises were sustained by Mr. Riley. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital.

Miss Jennie Valor, 17 years of age, of No. 319 Bodie street was seriously injured at Pico and San Pedro streets when the skidding automobile of S. V. Katz of No. 750 South Olive street hurled her to the pavement. Concussion of the brain and a possible fracture of the skull are her injuries. After being treated at the Receiving Hospital the young woman was removed to the County Hospital.

A lacerated head and other painful injuries received when an automobile driven by J. T. Sprague of No. 1288½ West Thirty-ninth street struck him sent A. B. Kenan of No. 1214 West Sixth street to the hospital. The accident occurred near Twenty-first and Figueroa streets.

Crossing at Third and Spring streets Baron Erik Ritcan, a motion picture actor, was struck and painfully injured by an automobile driven by Philip Zobelein of No. 3501 South Grand avenue. Upon examination Mr. Ritcan was found to be suffering from three broken ribs and a fractured shoulder blade.

Two automobiles colliding at the corner of First and Hill streets sent Andrew Park, 61 years of age, of No. 155 East Sixty-ninth street, the driver of one of the machines, to the Receiving Hospital with lacerations of the leg and arms. D. E. Dobinson of 1219 Brockman building, driver of the other machine, was not injured.

SOLVE MYSTERY, FIND ANOTHER.

MAID BOX JEWELS BELONG TO MONROVIA WOMEN; HOW? WHY?

The mystery of the ownership of the mail-box jewels has been solved and another mystery has appeared in its place. The jewels belong to two young ladies of Monrovia. The question that bothers the police is how did the jewels leave the jewel boxes in the women's room in that city and get into an insignificant mail box at Fourth and Los Angeles streets, this city?

Tuesday evening Miss Waunita Rives, No. 613 South California street, Monrovia, discovered that her jewels were missing. She called her roommate, Miss Grace Worthen, a Los Angeles school teacher, and she, too, found that the thief had taken her valuables. They reported the matter to the police.

The next morning they read in The Times of the finding of the loose jewelry in the mail box and of the inscription on the watch, "J. Grace Worthen, from her mother, Barre, Vt., March 2, 1905." They immediately came to this city and identified the valuables.

It is believed that the thief, believing himself closely followed, placed the jewels in the mail box to escape detection.

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Pasadena.

PAVES HER WAY TO FATHERLAND.

Astronomer's Wife to Sail for Scene of War.

Debut of Charming Young Pasadena Maid.

Elks Plan to Take Cheer to Poor Children.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 17.—Because of fear that she will be arrested as a German spy, Mrs. Arnold Kohlschutter of No. 814 North Holliston avenue, who will leave today for Breslau, Germany, secured from Chairman Metcalf of the City Commission a certificate showing that she had been a resident of Pasadena for the past year and a half.

When she sails next week from New York on a steamer bound for Amsterdam this bit of paper bearing the signatures of Chairman Metcalf and City Clerk Dyer and the seal of the City of Pasadena will be her most valued possession.

Mrs. Kohlschutter, who has been living in Pasadena for some time, her husband having been one of the astronomers at the Carnegie Solar Observatory, is going back to live with her mother. When war was first declared her husband, who was a reservist, left at once for his "fatherland." He was captured soon afterwards by the British while on board an Italian steamer and is now held as a prisoner of war at Gibralter, where he will remain until peace is declared.

Mrs. Kohlschutter, afraid that she might meet with the same fate, has taken extra precautions. When war was declared, Kohlschutter, on learning of it, ran down the Mt. Wilson trail to Pasadena, a distance of nine miles, and bidding his wife a hurried farewell left on the first train for New York. He is a lieutenant in the German reserves.

MISS MILLER'S DEBUT.

To mark the formal introduction of her daughter, Miss Phila Miller, into Pasadena society, Mrs. John Barnes Miller of Columbia street and Hillside road gave one of the most charming teas ever attended by Crown City society folk.

Receiving with the fair debutante were her parents and her grandmother, Mrs. J. E. Miller. The rooms in which Miss Miller greeted her friends were abloom with roses. In the drawing-room where the guests were received, long-stemmed American Beauties nodded from tall silver vases, while here and there about the tables dainty pink rosebuds were used in lavish profusion.

In the dining-room and smaller rooms, where refreshments were served, the color scheme was in pale pink and blue, pink roses being combined with blue drapings.

Assisting in the hospitality of the afternoon were Mmes. John S. Cravens, Edward Groenendyke, Joseph Hixon, Robert Pitcairn, Jr., Harry Robinson, Robert Rowan, Frank Miller, Tod Ford, Charles Perkins, William Staats, Isaac Milbank, Gail Johnson, James Calhoun Drake, Randolph Huntington Miner, Mary Longstreet, E. J. Marshall, Harold Cook, Stewart O'Melveny and Nutting Wigton; Misses Clara Miller, Louise Johnson, Helen Jones, Clara Watson, Theodora Robbins, Jane Stimson, Dorothy Baily, Daphne Drake, Delight Shafer, Catherine Johnson, Aileen McCarthy and Elizabeth Sherk.

Miss Miller graced the honor place in a fetching gown of white. More than 300 guests were present, and during the last hour of the reception the younger folk passed the time in dancing.

ELKS' SANTA CLAUS.

As has been their custom in the past, the Elks of Pasadena will play Santa Claus to the orphans, both from the South Pasadena School and the Pasadena Training School. The children will be brought to the Elks' Hall here in a body Christmas morning, and at 10 o'clock a Christmas programme will be given followed by the best thing of all, the distribution of gifts by Santa Claus from a great big Christmas tree.

PLUMERS RETURN.

Manager D. B. Plumer of Hotel Green and Mrs. Plumer arrived here yesterday evening from a lengthy sojourn in Middle New Hampshire, and were given a royal welcome by a merry crowd of guests and hotel employees who met them at the train in a rainstorm.

They are delighted to be back in the Crown City once more. Mr. Plumer expects more tourists from the East this season than ever before in the history of California.

"I think more people will come here than ever before, principally because of the war in Europe and the expositions at San Francisco and San Diego. People of Philadelphia and New York have heretofore found it easier to go abroad than to cross the continent," said Mr. Plumer last night, "but being cut off from the European trip by the war they will naturally come here in 1915, and once here they will come again and many will remain."

Mr. Plumer does not believe that the expositions in themselves will be the cause of the great number of eastern visitors. He does not expect as many Canadian tourists as usual and very few Europeans. He says that many easterners will make the trip here by way of the Panama Canal.

The Plumers were accompanied as far as the Grand Canyon by their son, Bowdoin, who will return to Pasadena next week.

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CHRISTMAS TREE FOR POOR CATS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 16.—Happier in lot than many a poor tot on Christmas morning will be the cats at the Pasadena Humane Society, for Miss Angie Neff, who cares for them and loves them, is to give them a Christmas tree.

She has ordered great boxes of catnip from Minneapolis and Christmas morning, and all through the holidays, the big tabbies and the little kitties will feast on their favorite tidbit.

"Mumsy," the oldest cat of all, will get a new basket with soft linings. The others will be given new cushions.

Cute Little Girls of the Movies.

Pluming herself for the Admen's ball.

Miss Adele Hart as Feather girl, who will attend the club carnival tonight at Venice.

AD CLUB CARNIVAL IS ON AT VENICE.

MASQUERADERS TO PARADE RESORT DRESSED IN HOME-PRODUCT COSTUMES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Dec. 16.—Dressed to represent various home products, hundreds of the Los Angeles Ad Club members will mingle with the throng which will attend their carnival here tomorrow night. Pretty maids by the score will do odd stunts befitting the product they represent. Among them will be Miss Adele Hart, a Los Angeles beauty, who has a beautiful costume of ostrich plumes as the "Feather Girl."

The ad men are to be entertained in the dance pavilion at the carnival ball and in the many other attractions of the place. Special cars will take them to and from the beach with their friends. The affair here will raise, it is thought, the necessary funds which will enable the Ad Club to continue the splendid work in the interests of Los Angeles, for which it has become noted throughout the country.

SHOPPING FOR FUN.

Injustice to the Clerks to Have Their Time and Energy Used for Such Pleasure.

[Indianapolis News:] Now that shopping is beginning to tax the capacity of stores, the question as to what extent shoppers can fairly indulge their whims increases in importance. To a reporter for the New York Times a prominent merchant of that city recently declared that 25 per cent. of the goods sent out of his store was returned, "the great bulk of which is made up of goods returned for no better reason than that the customer never did want them." He admits that it frequently happens that damaged goods are sent out by mistake, and that in order to keep his reputation clear he would rather have them returned than kept. Again, customers find that purchases have been duplicated by members of the family, or that colors do not match, in which case it is entirely right that they should return the goods.

But it is against women who make a practice of ordering numerous dresses for which they cannot possibly pay that most of his criticism is directed. It appears that, unable to resist the lure of finery, certain women go from store to store, ordering garments and millinery of all descriptions sent to their homes merely for the purpose of decking themselves out to satisfy their vanity. And it not infrequently comes to the knowledge of merchants that women wear to social functions gowns sent on approval and then return them the next day. Furniture and rugs are submitted to a similar abuse. Garments, in particular, however, easily lose their freshness, so that after they have been handled and worn the merchant is forced to dispose of them at a sacrifice.

But the brunt of the loss falls on the saleslgirl. The person who is shopping for fun takes up the time which the clerk could use more profitably in attending to the wants of genuine customers. This does not mean that a thorough examination of merchandise is not encouraged, for the clerk knows that in order to be well served and satisfied the customer must have as much time as can be given. But the principal injustice to clerks comes from the fact that their salaries are dependent on their sales. Even where the percentage system is not in use it is customary to rate a clerk's salary according to the volume of her sales. For this reason, if for no other, shopping for fun is to be regretted. Some stores have gone the limit and abandoned the approval system, but the complete solution of the problem lies largely in the attitude of the public toward the clerks.

French are Not Poetic.

[Manchester Guardian:] A close student of the European press during the present war notices one temperamental difference between the French and all the other great nations engaged. The English, German and Russian papers (at all events the Russian papers at the beginning of the war) have published a great deal of verse inspired by the war. The French papers have published little or none. They have expressed all they need to express in lucid and in impassioned prose. This difference is perhaps not a mere question of the mood of the moment. At all times and as a matter of literary history the French are much less given to "dropping into poetry," as Mr. Bodin would say, than their neighbors.

Neutral and Busy.

[Washington Herald:] Uncle Sam is neutral, but still he's as busy as anyone in the war zone with the airships of the Wright brothers, the telegraph and telephone instruments of Morse and Bell, the barbed-wire fences of Isaac Glidden, the submarine torpedo boats of David Bushnell, the electric mine exploder of Col. Colt, the magazine rifle of Spencer and the revolving battery gun of Dr. Gatling.

DREDGING LONG BEACH HARBOR.

SILT WASHED DOWN BY RAIN CAUSES WORK FOR SEASIDE CITY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 16.—After being awarded the contract for the dredging of the harbor entrance channel, officials of the Los Angeles Dredging Company today announced that they would begin clearing the mouth of the harbor of silt within three days, using the $200,000 dredger J. E. Upson which was built at the Craig plant.

The work of clearing the waterway of silt washed down with storm water will cost the city about $30,000. Approximately 62,000 yards of silt is to be removed.

Despite the warnings of last season the city has as yet taken no steps to protect the harbor or the lands to the northeast of town from the floods which are sure to come after the heavy rains. At a point just west of the Los Cerritos trestle of the Pacific Electric, a ranch company has constructed a diversion dam which throws the water onto the ranch lands to the south, flooding the country north of Long Beach and filling the harbor with silt.

Suits against the company which erected the barrier are threatened by the owners of land north of the city. The land company states that it merely sought to protect its own lands at that point and to keep the water in its original channel.

RAIN DAMPENS ARDOR.

Although a steady drizzle set in at 8 o'clock this morning, about sixty men started work on the big revival temple at Third street and Atlantic avenue. At noon, when further work was abandoned until the weather clears up, the western section was well begun and the floor joists almost all in. As soon as the weather permits a large number of men will give their work. It is planned to complete the building this week.

The Foothills Hotel, Ojai Valley, Nordhoff, California. Golf on hotel grounds. Horseback riding.—[Advertisement.

CITRUS EXPERIMENTS.

Pomona Seeks to Persuade State University Regents to Locate Station There.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 16.—The City Council has voted to support in every way the efforts being put forth to secure the State citrus experiment station for this city, on which matter a committee from the Chamber of Commerce has been working for some time.

The entire community is much interested in the proposition and an enlarge committee has been appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to do diligent work before the final selection of a site is made by the board of regents of the University of California on December 22.

The proposed site is owned by the Phillips estate and consists of 200 acres, with another 100 acres available if necessary. There is an abundant supply of water and the land is rich and easily accessible on a main road.

It is proposed to conduct at the station a graduate school of agriculture, where also experiments of great importance will be made which will be of material aid to this large citrus center.

Arrowhead Springs; mud, mineral water. Finest natural steam baths.—[Advertisement.

DIVIDES GREAT RANCHO.

Two Grand-daughters of A. Canet, Late of Ventura, Get Four Thousand Acres.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Dec. 16.—The will of the late A. Canet has been filed for probate. He left 4000 acres of land in the Rancho Canyada Larga and other property. In the will, which is dated November 1, 1911, Orestes Orr is named as executor, the will being witnessed by E. P. Foster and J. A. Walker. The rancho is willed to the two grand-daughters, Mrs. Leon Garnier and Miss Renee Canet, share and share alike. To the son, Edward C. Canet, is left the life insurance policy and all proceeds from the ranch property.

The County Board of Forestry met yesterday and appointed Gird Percy as County Forester, to have charge of all trees in county parks and along county highways.

The bee keepers of the county, meeting here yesterday, recommended to the Supervisors the reappointment of W. H. Allen as county bee inspector.

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BAKERSFIELD GRAND JURY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 16.—A raid on the poolrooms in East Bakersfield and wholesale arrests for alleged illegal gambling carried on there is the latest move on the grand jury, which has indicted on felony charges a dozen saloon men and proprietors of shady resorts and has caused the arrest on misdemeanor charges of many others. J. J. Deuel, the special officer employed by the grand jury, acting independently of the police and Sheriff, has been conducting almost daily and nightly raids. The grand jury, which has adjourned for the Christmas holidays, is expected to make a final report to Superior Judge Peairs about the first of February. Judge Farmer is then expected to call another grand jury at once.

HONORARY DEGREES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 16.—The Order of Panama, which took its origin with the San Diego exposition, is arranging for a beautiful ceremonial conferring an honorary degree upon Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, and other prominent visitors here for the opening ceremonies of the exposition, New Year's Day. The Order of Panama, which will have much important work connected with the exposition during the year, elected new officers today as follows: President, T. H. Tracy; canciller, C. H. Bartholomew; fiscal, E. J. Henning; tienie canciller, Larry L. Lund.

MARCHES TO TIA JUANA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 16.—Col. Esteban Cantu, to whom Aviles's forces at Tia Juana surrendered, left Tia Juana early today with 400 men for Ensenada. Col. Mendieta is left in command of Tia Juana with about 100 men as the Tia Juana garrison.

Santa Ana.

ADDS THREAT TO SENTENCE.

Long Beach Bixby is Fined at Santa Ana.

Canyon Road May be Paved Inland to the Sea.

Enlarged Courthouse Needed by Orange County.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 16.—Having changed his mind about wanting a jury trial, R. A. Bixby of Long Beach pleaded guilty to driving an automobile while he was intoxicated and paid a fine of $200. He was arrested three weeks ago by Motorcycle Officer Davenport, who stated that he found Bixby's machine in a ditch near Westminster with Bixby leaning over on the steering wheel.

"Orange county is a bad county for anyone to drive an automobile unless he is sober," said Justice Cox to Bixby. "Should you ever be brought before me again upon this charge you will not get off with a fine."

CANYON PAVEMENT.

The County Highway Commission favors a proposal to pave the Santa Ana Canyon road. Under the plan by which the county voted $1,270,000 good roads bonds, the canyon road was to be widened and made of easy grade. The upper seven miles of the road, below the Riverside county line, has been improved in that way and a contract has been let for the improvement of the lower six miles, between Olive and Peralta.

While the road so far built is an excellent dirt road, the County Highway Commission believes that paving would be economical in the long run. The commission has already definitely decided to pave between Olive and Peralta and is considering paving above Peralta.

Riverside county highway authorities have stated that it is their intention to pave the main road into the Santa Ana Canyon to meet this county's. It is argued that this road will be used a great deal by residents of Riverside, Redlands and San Bernardino going to the Orange county beaches.

OPPOSE BLUE PRINTS.

Contractors, builders, dealers in building materials and architects have petitioned the City Trustees to pass an ordinance that will compel any person asking for a building permit to file blue prints.

The proposal has been opposed on the ground that it will play into the hands of the architects. Trustee Alderman said he could see no common sense in having blue prints for a $40 barn.

LARGER COURTHOUSE.

The grand jury has recommended to the Board of Supervisors that a third story be built on the Courthouse to accommodate the growing official business of the county. The Supervisors have placed the Sheriff's, Surveyor's, Horticultural Commissioner's and Forester's offices in the basement, and today let contracts for enlarging the Clerk's and Treasurer's offices.

The recommendation of the grand jury was placed on file. Whether or not the Supervisors will do anything about putting on a third story is not known.

ORANGE COUNTY NOTES.

On a petition from Newport Beach the Supervisors created a new township, to be called Newport Beach [illegible] township, and [illegible] districts of [illegible] Harper. The [illegible] who are to be [illegible] will receive [illegible] Thirty-eight [illegible] a petition [illegible] establish a [illegible] spection of [illegible] vegetable and [illegible] and sewer [illegible]

SENT TO THE [illegible]

Colton Man Shows Is More Sinned Against Than Thought.

[Special correspondence.]

COLTON, Dec. [illegible] of D. S. Martin, who was injured by a falling [illegible] sitated his removal to [illegible] sanitarium hospital, [illegible] G. M. Lee, had a narrow escape from death [illegible] of cutting down a [illegible] tree in front of the [illegible] and while engaged [illegible] up the end of a tree [illegible] from his grasp, [illegible] branches and crushed [illegible] Besides a dislocated [illegible] injured chest, it is [illegible] other internal [illegible]

BANKS IN [illegible]

Since the unsuccessful [illegible] H. C. Fuson, the city [illegible] out an Engineer, and [illegible] next couple of months [illegible] deciding that there was [illegible] work to be started [illegible] point most. The former [illegible] asked for a vacation [illegible] from injuries received [illegible] smashup at Del Mar. [illegible] his resignation to take [illegible] the last week from [illegible] postmarked Tokio, [illegible] personal effects and [illegible] still here and his [illegible] puzzling.

SENT TO [illegible]

Legislature Should Increase Salaries, Says [illegible] Will Take Matter [illegible]

[Special correspondence.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. [illegible] tor John N. Anderson [illegible] lieves that some [illegible] made whereby the [illegible] fixing salaries and [illegible] offices should be [illegible] shoulders of [illegible] he has not decided [illegible] change, but he proposes [illegible] matter up with [illegible] soon after the [illegible]

Anderson [illegible] filed to take the [illegible] grand jury, as to [illegible] vestigation of [illegible] thorough. He thinks [illegible] should be placed [illegible] within the county.

The State Senator [illegible] pects to introduce a [illegible] power one or more [illegible] maintain an office [illegible] tion failing for [illegible] to declare dividends [illegible] a law will prevent [illegible] corporation after [illegible] themselves will be [illegible]

Spend week-end [illegible] Springs. Motor [illegible] [Advertisement.

CONDEMNATION [illegible]

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BEAUMONT, Dec. [illegible] tion proceedings [illegible] Superior Court [illegible] to obtain right [illegible] piece of land [illegible] to be built between [illegible] Banning. The [illegible] owners are Geo. [illegible] Mrs. M. M. Gray, [illegible] this city. There [illegible] the suits will be [illegible] ing to trial.

Xmas gift. Camera [illegible] now. Chelius [illegible] Fourth street.—[Advertisement.

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HOTEL RAYMOND OPENS SOCIETY FEATURE TO

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 16.—"Everything is in readiness for the formal opening tomorrow evening of the Raymond Hotel, with all indications pointing to the biggest season the hotel has ever had," stated Walter Raymond, its owner and manager, this morning.

The building will be thrown open tomorrow morning with a number of guests present for the season and many special visitors from all sections of the State.

Society folk from Los Angeles, Pasadena and this city have made reservations for the dinner dance to start at 6:30 o'clock. The feature will be the exhibition dancing of Miss Adeline McAdams and partner, including the stairway tango, for which performance a stairway from the dancing stage to the floor beneath is to be used. After the exhibition dancing will be [illegible]

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Arrowhead [illegible] tric direct [illegible] springs.—[Advertisement.

Riverside.

"MOVIES," NOT "EXAM[illegible] SHATTER THE [illegible]

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 16.—County Superintendent A. S. McPherron of San Bernardino provoked the one big laugh of the present convention of city and county superintendents in his diagnosis, this morning, of the conditions which give rise to the requests often made by fond mothers to have their children relieved of graduation examinations.

Mothers' fears of an attack of "nervous prostration" at examination time, he asserted, would be groundless if their children were prevailed upon to pay less attention to the "movies," dances and other social affairs.

The storm of applause which greeted Superintendent McPherron's remarks left no doubt as to the attitude of the convention with reference to the question of the elimination of graduation examinations.

McPherron stated that the Board of Education [illegible] up the plan of [illegible] accredit each [illegible] reason that [illegible] instances [illegible] the privilege.

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Mr. [illegible] honored [illegible] side [illegible] ranged a [illegible] cises for [illegible]

Xmas [illegible] now. Chelius [illegible] Fourth street.—[Advertisement.

The Pac[illegible]

Free-for-All.

EMPLOYED TO GET WORK.

City will Care for its Own Problems.

[illegible] with Dependents Get First Chance.

[illegible] of Northern Towns [illegible] Big Question.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Each [illegible] in California will handle [illegible] unemployed this year if [illegible] stood at a meeting of Mayors [illegible] Mayor Rolph's office in San [illegible] today receive State-wide [illegible]

[illegible]ances were the chief executive [illegible] San Francisco, Oakland, [illegible] Sacramento, Berkeley, Ala[illegible] of Harward. Each pledged his [illegible] to solve its own unem[illegible] problems this year and thus [illegible] the passing on to the [illegible] of indigents as was done [illegible]

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[illegible] FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—[illegible] Chief of the San [illegible] Department, was sum[illegible]oned from office today by [illegible]missioners "for the good [illegible]."

[illegible] appointed as Chief [illegible]'s place Patrick H. Shaughn[illegible] served as Chief of the de[illegible] from 1906 to 1910.

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[illegible]TEN" SETTING.

[illegible] is Appointed for Newspa[illegible] in the North Less Than [illegible] Ago.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[illegible] (Wash.) Dec. 16.—Sam[illegible], business manager of [illegible] Evening Sun, was ap[illegible] later today for the Sun [illegible] Company, on the suit of a [illegible] who holds a note for $2000 [illegible] the company. The company [illegible] admitted owing $300,000 [illegible] bonds. publication Feb[illegible] 1915.

[illegible] BOARD REPORTS.

[illegible] Chambers Hands His [illegible] Statement of Work [illegible] the President.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[illegible]STON, Dec. 16.—No ral[illegible] of serious consequence oc[illegible] the country during the first [illegible] of the United States [illegible] Mediation and Conciliation [illegible] has been settled by the board [illegible] not settled by the board [illegible] so all concerned. Wil[illegible] Commissioner, re[illegible] President Wilson today in [illegible] report.

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[illegible]RY OF COTTON.

[illegible] Has Not Yet Interfere [illegible] Shipments to Nea[illegible]

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[illegible]GTON, Dec. 16.—France, [illegible] in the State Department [illegible] Ambassador Jusserand, today [illegible] that the would not [illegible] with American [illegible] to belligerent [illegible]

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...sent to the Hospital.

Colton Man Struck by Falling Tree Is More Seriously Injured Than Thought.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, Dec. 16.—The ... of D. S. Martin, who was ... injured by a falling tree, has ... sitated his removal to a ... nardino hospital. Mr. ... G. M. Lee, had undertaken ... of cutting down a dead ... tree in front of the Methodist ... and while stepping forward ... up the end of a rope that had ... from his grasp, was struck ... branches and crushed to the ... Besides a dislocated hip and ... injured chest, it is thought ... other internal injuries.

Banks in Order.

Since the unexpected resignation of H. C. Faxon the city has been without an Engineer, and will be for the next couple of months, the ... deciding that there was not ... work to warrant an ... appointment. The former City ... asked for a vacation to ... from injuries received in ... smashup at Del Mar. Time ... his resignation came from ... the last word heard from ... postmarked Yokohama. ... personal effects and all ... still here and his sudden ... puzzling.

SUGAR CANE is the greatest ... Tyler, have discovered ... planted in this new ... tion at once. Carl F. Shinkle, ... Los Angeles.

State Senator's Plans.

Legislators Should Not ... Salaries, Says Senate ... Will Take Matter up With ...

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 16.—... tor John N. Anderson of ... lieves that some change ... made whereby the ... fixing salaries and help ... offices should be taken ... shoulders of legislators. ... he has not devised a plan ... change, but he proposes ... matter up with experts ... soon after the Legislature ...

Anderson states that he ... fled to take the recommendation ... grand jury, as he feels ... vestigation of salaries and ... thorough. He thinks the ... should be placed upon ... within the county.

The State Senator said he expects to introduce a bill ... power one or more ... maintain an action against ... tion failing for an unreasonable ... to declare dividends. ... a law will prevent ... corporation alive merely ... themselves with fat ...

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Condemnation.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BEAUMONT, Dec. ... tion proceedings were ... Superior Court in Riverside ... to obtain right of way ... piece of land needed ... to be built between ... Banning. The defendants ... owners are George W. ... Mrs. M. M. Gray, both ... this city. There is a ... the suits will be settled ... ing to trial.

Xmas gift. Cactus ... now. Cactus Garden, ... Fourth street.—[Advertisement.

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Woman Keeps Her Baby.

Mother's Right Supreme, Says the Highest Court in California.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—The Supreme Court of California paused today in its consideration of profound legal questions long enough to give back to Annie Matthews her "boy baby." Gerald was taken from his mother recently by an order of the Superior Court of Alameda county, which appointed a guardian for the child upon representations that the mother, who worked for a daily wage, earned too little to support her child. In her distress, Mrs. Matthews appealed to the Supreme Court. The court held that the mother's right to her child was supreme and the baby could not be taken from her unless it was shown that she was morally unfit.

Smart Set.

Guard Wealth of Millionaire.

May Declare Peter D. Martin an Incompetent.

Noted Clubman, Related by Marriage to Vanderbilt Family of New York, Named in Petition to Turn His Vast Estate Over to Trustee in San Francisco.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 16.—A petition to have Peter D. Martin declared incompetent and his wealth placed in the hands of a guardian trustee was filed today by Dr. Milton B. Lennon.

Martin is the son of Mrs. Eleanor Martin, and his wife, Mrs. Peter Martin, is the social leader of the San Francisco smart set. Through his wife, who was Miss Lily Oelrichs, he is related by marriage to the Vanderbilt family of New York.

The family does not appear in the matter, but Dr. Lennon, one of the foremost alienists of the city, is believed to represent them in the petition.

Dr. Lennon declares that he believes Peter Denohoe Martin to be an incompetent, and possibly incurably so, and asks that a guardian be appointed for his estate, naming the Anglo-California Trust Company as the trustee to be placed in charge of the estate, which is given as $400,000.

Peter Martin's age is given as 46. He is the brother of Walter Martin and a member of the Burlingame Country Club and the Francisco Club. When not in San Francisco the family resides at the Biltmore Hotel, New York.

The hearing on the petition will be held December 22 before Superior Judge Seawell. Dr. Lennon is expected to be the chief witness. Dr. Lennon was one of the alienists appointed by the court to pass on the mental condition of Walter A. McCreary, when the millionaire clubman regained his competency here last spring, after his escape from Hollister and sensational flight to England.

More Trouble for Schaumberg.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 16.—Otto Schaumberg, upon his release from San Quentin Prison Saturday, will be taken to East St. Louis, Ill., to face a charge of having murdered a detective on February 11, 1913.

Second Section of Cold Wave.

Southwest Is Swept by Zero Temperatures, Ranging to Twelve Below.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Dec. 16.—A second section of the cold wave, strongly reinforced, swept into the Southwest today and sent temperatures to new low record marks for the season. The overnight fall in the mercury in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Iowa and Nebraska ranged from eight to twelve degrees. Texas alone continued to experience warmer weather.

TWENTY-FOUR BELOW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HELENA (Mont.) Dec. 16.—Havre, in the northern part of Montana, was the coldest place in the United States today. The government thermometer registered twenty-four degrees below zero. The thermometer here registered nine degrees below and at Kalispell two below.

Richard Dowling Dead.

Former Manager of Midwick Country Club of Los Angeles Passes Away at El Paso.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO, Dec. 16.—When the negro porter went to his room in the Toltec Club to call him this morning, Richard Dowling was found dead. The former manager of the Midwick Country Club of Los Angeles had been ill for two days and was unable to sleep until late Tuesday night. He had been here since last May as manager of the exclusive club and was one of the most popular men who has ever had charge of its affairs. He recently arranged for the annual dinner and the overwork incident to this is believed to have caused the illness that resulted in his death.

Study Science of Flight.

New Laboratory is Dedicated for the Purpose of Leaving Underlying Principles of Aviation.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Dec. 16.—The aeronautical laboratory of Massachusetts Institute of Technology was dedicated today. The laboratory will be devoted to study of the principles underlying aerial flight, a new departure in technical instruction in this country.

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Smuggling.

RECORD BULLION SEIZURE IS EFFECTED IN ARIZONA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—One of the largest seizures of bullion ever made in Arizona was effected in the arrest of M. G. Gonzales, Arturo Ponce and a chauffeur named Chatam by Deputy United States Marshals, on a charge of smuggling. A trunk containing gold and silver bullion valued at $50,000 was taken from the prisoners.

The bullion is being held by customs officers here. It will be assayed tomorrow and will be confiscated if Gonzales, Ponce and Chatam are convicted of smuggling it across the boundary from Sonora, Mex.

Gonzales and Ponce were arrested at Tucson. Officers were attracted by the efforts of expressmen in lifting the trunk. They were followed to the home of a Mexican, where the men were arrested and the bullion seized.

The chauffeur was arrested at Nogales, where the trunk is alleged to have been smuggled across the international boundary. He was released on bail, pending a hearing.

Gonzales was arraigned before Edwin F. Jones, United States Commissioner. His preliminary hearing was continued until tomorrow, when Ponce will be arraigned.

Gonzales stated when taken before Commissioner Jones that he had obtained the bullion from Administrator of Customs Visciano, a Maytorena official at Nogales, Sonora. He said he was commissioned to bring the bullion out of Sonora by Hipolito Villa, a brother of Gen. Villa, and Luis Gazziola, Villa agent at El Paso. According to his statement he intended to ship the gold and silver from Tucson to a bank at El Paso. The transporting of the bullion was the third such transaction, he said.

There is no import duty on bullion, but failure to make a declaration at customhouse constitutes smuggling.

Wilson Bound Over.

Former Los Angeles Broker and His Partner Are Placed Under Heavy Bonds to Appear for Trial.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—J. C. Wilson and B. A. Wilbrand, partners in a San Francisco brokerage firm, which was declared bankrupt by the Federal Court several months ago, were bound over for trial today on three counts of embezzlement aggregating over $26,000, by Superior Judge George E. Crothers, sitting as a committing magistrate.

Wilson and Wilbrand are alleged to have secured money from clients for the purpose of buying the stock, which, it is said, they did not do.

Settles Rights to Thousands.

Attempt to Take Nearly Half Million from Citizens of Los Angeles Turns Out a Failure.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Ella Sheets Evans of Chicago, Mrs. Belle Sheets Little and Miss Isabel Little, both of Zanesville, O.; Mrs. Sarah S Bradley and Mrs. Harry Bonfield of this city lost their suit in court today to break the will of Joseph Sheets, leaving his $400,000 estate to Harry M. Evans, formerly of Kansas City, but now in Los Angeles. The plaintiffs averred undue influence. They were sisters and nieces of Sheets. Sheets died in March, 1910.

The plaintiffs had received bequests in the will varying from $1000 to $2000.

International.

Praise Stand on Armament.

Wilson Attitude Indorsed by Church Union.

Plans Formulated in New York for Expenditure of Hundred Thousand Dollars for the Cause of Peace During Coming Year—Emissary to be Sent to Japan.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—A resolution approving President Wilson's attitude toward national armament and expressing the hope that Congress will sustain his stand, was adopted by the Church Peace Union at its meeting here today to formulate plans for the expenditure of $100,000 for the cause of peace during the coming year.

The trustees of the $2,000,000 fund given by Andrew Carnegie last February with which to establish the union, appointed Dr. Shailer Mathews, dean of the University of Chicago, as "church ambassador" to Japan in the interests of peace. Dr. Mathews is to take to the Japanese churches a message expressing the desire of the American churches to do justice to the Japanese. He will be introduced to Japan by Dr. Sydney L. Gulick, a professor in Kyoto, Japan, who was brought here a year ago at the request of the commission on peace and arbitration of the churches of Christ in America to work toward furthering good will between Japan and the United States. Dr. Gulick will continue this work for another year.

The peace conference of American and European churches at Constance this year, although interrupted by the outbreak of war, was declared in a report submitted today, to be "worth twenty times what it cost."

Among the appropriations authorized were the following: For peace work in Europe to be used through the European churches in connection with the work of the world alliances of the churches for promoting international friendship, $30,000.

For promoting good will between the United States and Japan and for the commission in relation to the study of the Japanese situation, $10,000.

For use by a committee to be appointed "to rouse the people of the United States," to what it is considered their duty should be regarding the agitation for the increase of armament, and in connection with any part this country may be called upon to play in the European peace settlement, $10,000.

For the best essays on peace by ministers, divinity students and others, $5000, of which $1000 is to be awarded a ministerial contestant and the remainder divided among student competitors.

Leipzig's Last Exploit.

British Officer of Freighter Bankfields Tells How Vessel Was Sunk off Coast of Ecuador.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—The farewell exploit of the German cruiser Leipzig, now at the bottom of the Atlantic, was told here today by E. L. Rattle, third officer of the British freighter Bankfields, the last prize the Leipzig is known to have captured. Rattle arrived here today from Callao on the British steamship Mexico City.

While off the coast of Ecuador last September, Capt. Ingham of the Bankfields sighted smoke on the horizon and put on full steam. The Leipzig had sighted him, however, and came racing after at a speed that soon overtook him. He refused to lie to at the signal, but a shell through his funnel brought obedience.

Three launches filled with armed marines put off from the cruiser and carried back the Bankfields' crew. They were permitted to take with them their clothing, but no money or jewelry.

Five shells did the business of the Bankfields with celerity, and her crew watched her go down by the stern. They were later transferred to the German merchantman Marie and landed at Callao.

The Weather Back East.

Middle West is Warmer, but the North and South are Still in the Cold Belt.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 16.—Fair and warmer is the prediction for tomorrow in the Middle West. Chicago's maximum rose to 10 deg. above today, while the Ohio Valley got up to 34 deg. Wisconsin, Iowa, the Dakotas, Minnesota, Nebraska and Montana still have from 2 to 24 deg. below zero. Eastern States are slightly warmer than yesterday, but all the South continues cold. Other temperatures:

City—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	49	24
Boise, Idaho	20	4
Boston, Mass.	23	13
Buffalo, N. Y.	18	13
Calgary, Alberta	20	*8
Chicago, Ill.	10	4
Denver, Colo.	33	8
Des Moines, Iowa	4	*10
Dodge City, Kan.	13	8
Duluth, Minn.	10	*10
Durango, Colo.	38	4
Galveston, Tex.	43	30
Havre, Mont.	*4	*24
Helena, Mont.	10	4
Huron, S. D.	3	*20
Jacksonville, Fla.	44	32
Kamloops, B. C.	16	18
Kansas City, Mo.	13	8
Knoxville, Tenn.	36	8
Memphis, Tenn.	32	18
Minneapolis, Minn.	6	*4
Modena, Utah	34	13
Montreal, Quebec	12	2
Moorhead, Minn.	6	*16
New Orleans, La.	44	32
New York, N. Y.	23	13
North Platte, Neb.	13	*12
Oklahoma City, Okla.	23	13
Pittsburgh, Pa.	18	2
Rapid City, S. D.	6	*10
Roswell, N. M.	30	14
St. Louis, Mo.	20	10
St. Paul, Minn.	4	*2
Salt Lake City, Utah	28	16
Sheridan, Wyo.	8	*20
Swift Current, Sask.	4	*16
Tampa, Fla.	52	44
Washington, D. C.	26	10
Williston, N. D.	4	*20
Winnipeg, Man.	6	*14

*Below zero.

Business: Money, Stocks, Bonds—Trade—The Citrus Market

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Dec. 17, 1914.

Bank clearings yesterday were $4,550,909.30, an increase of $550,490.75, compared with the same day last year, and a decrease of $327,840.39 compared with the same day in 1912.

	1914	1913	1912
Monday	$3,409,361.46	$3,903,104.64	$4,047,451.43
Tuesday	3,880,548.25	4,271,249.78	4,858,140.69
Wed'y	4,550,909.30	3,960,418.55	4,858,149.69

New York Money Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Closing: Mercantile paper, 4¼@4½; sterling exchange firm, sixty-day bills, 4.84½; cables, 4.88; for demand, 4.87½; bar silver, 49¾; call money easy, high, 3½; low, 3; ruling rate, 3¼; last loan, 3¼; closing bid, 3; offered at 3¼.

London Metal Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Spot copper closed at £57 15s, off 12s 6d, and futures at £58, off 12s 6d; electrolytic at £62, unchanged. Tin closed steady, with spot at £149 5s, unchanged, and futures at £148, off 15s. Lead closed easy, at £19 6s 6d, off 2s 6d; and spelter easy at £28, off 5s.

London Bar Silver.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LONDON, Dec. 16.—Bar silver, 22 15-16 per ounce; money, 1⅛ per cent.

New York Metal Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Tin steady; five-ton lots, 34.50@34.87½; 25-ton lots, 34.35@35.45. Copper firm, electrolytic, 12.87@13.50; casting, 13.12@13.25. Iron, quiet and unchanged. Lead steady, 3.75@3.85. Spelter steady, 5.65@5.75.

New York General Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Wheat, spot irregular. Hops quiet. Hides steady. Wool, steady.

SPOT COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 16.—New Orleans spot cotton market today: Low ordinary, 4; ordinary, 4⅝; good ordinary, 5¼; strict good ordinary, 5⅝; low middling, 6¼; strict low middling, 6⅝; middling, 7; strict middling, 7¼; good middling, 7⅝; strict good middling, 8; middling fair, 8½; middling fair to fair, 8⅝; fair, 9. Sales, 900 bales; to arrive, 1150 bales. Tone of market steady.

TURPENTINE AND ROSIN.

SAVANNAH QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) Dec. 16.—Turpentine firm, 44; sales, 15; receipts, 308; shipments, 16; stocks, 33,799. Rosin firm, sales, 793; receipts, 1455; shipments, 573; stocks, 136,463. Quotations: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, 3.35@3.40; I, 3.65; K, 4.15; M, 4.55; N, 5.45; WG, 5.70; WW, 5.90.

Legal.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY.

Los Angeles, Cal., November 28, 1914.

To the Stockholders of Los Angeles Investment Company:

TAKE NOTICE that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 756 South Broadway, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, for the purpose of electing the directors of said corporation for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Thursday, December 31, 1914, at 5 o'clock p.m., and will be reopened at 10 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1915.

The polls will remain open until 6 o'clock the afternoon of said Monday, January 11, 1915.

All proxies must be submitted to the Secretary or Auditor for examination and registration on or before Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1915, at 5 o'clock p.m. of said day.

H. V. DAVIS,
Secretary of Los Angeles Investment Company.
By order of the Board of Directors.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING OF THE FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES:

The annual meeting of stockholders of The Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles will be held at the bank building, on the southwest corner of Main and Fourth streets, in the City of Los Angeles, California, on Tuesday, January 12, 1915, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

V. H. ROSSETTI, Cashier.
Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 12, 1914.

Financial.

QUIET PERVADES STOCK MARKET.

Only at Rare Intervals is any Activity Shown.

Price Changes Show Losses and Gains Even Up.

Inquiry for Copper and Steel is Somewhat Better.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. — The most significant feature of today's heavy and narrow market was the pronounced decrease in the volume of trading. Only at rare intervals was there any degree of activity and that usually at the expense of values.

Until the closing hour, when the sagging tendency became more manifest, prices alternately ranged slightly above or below the previous day's close. In the final dealings moderate offerings brought about another reaction, most of the international list and other favorites making new low prices for the current movement.

United States Steel common and preferred were in this class, together with Union and Southern Pacific, Great Northern, preferred, Northern Pacific, Canadian Pacific and American Smelting. In addition, four other stocks of varying importance—Louisville and Nashville, Southern Railway, Mexican Petroleum and Republic Steel, preferred—fell to the minimum level still enforced by the exchange. The few gains shown at the end of the session were among such issues as Central Leather and American Beet Sugar, while other stocks under "pool" control bore evidence of manipulation.

Foreign news played a part in the day's events, news of the German navy's activities in the North Sea being received with some apprehension and giving rise to fears of further European selling. More offerings of Americans for English and German interests were reported, but their volume was believed to be very small.

In the steel trade an increase of buying for the coming year was the sole feature, but immediate business continues at a virtual standstill, aside from small equipment orders. Some inquiry for copper for domestic use was noted. Bonds were irregular, speculative issues going lower, with advances in few high-class issues. Total sales par value were $1,480,000.

United States government coupon 4's advanced ¼ per cent. on call.

CLOSING PRICES.

Alaska Gold	24½
Amalgamated Copper	54½
American Beet Sugar	30
American Can	26¼
American Smelt. & Refining	58½
American Smelt. & Ref. pfd.	99¼
American Sugar Refining	106½
American Tel. & Tel.	117⅞
American Tobacco	218½
Anaconda Mining	26½
Atchison	93
Baltimore & Ohio	69½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	85⅞
California Petroleum	16¼
Canadian Pacific	157⅜
Central Leather	36¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	43⅜
Chicago Great Western	11¼
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	90¼
Chicago & Northwestern	125
Chino Copper	34
Colorado Fuel & Iron	24¼
Denver & Rio Grande	4⅝
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	9¼
Distillers' Securities	13
Erie	22
General Electric	139
Great Northern pfd.	115
Great Northern Ore. ctfs.	26¼
Guggenheim Exploration	46⅝
Illinois Central	106¼
Interborough Met. pfd.	51⅞
Inspiration Copper	16¼
International Harvester	90
Kansas City Southern	22
Lehigh Valley	134⅝
Louisville & Nashville (pfd.)	125
Mexican Petroleum	51
Miami Copper	18¼
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	10
Missouri Pacific	9¼
National Biscuit	123¼
National Lead	46
Nevada Copper	12¼
New York Central	82
New York, N. H. & Hartford	54¼
Norfolk & Western (closing)	100
Northern Pacific	101⅝
Pacific Mail	20½
Pacific Tel. & Tel.	24
Pennsylvania	108
Pullman Palace Car	150
Ray Consolidated Copper	16⅝
Reading	147⅝
Republic Iron & Steel	19
Rock Island Co.	1⅛
Rock Island Co. pfd.	2
St. Louis, S. F. 2nd pfd.	2½
Southern Pacific	86
Southern Railway	16
Tennessee Copper	32⅝
Texas Company	130½
Union Pacific	117⅞
Union Pacific pfd.	17⅝
United States Steel	50⅛
United States Steel pfd.	104
Utah Copper	49
Wabash pfd.	2
Western Union	58⅛
Westinghouse Electric	67⅝

Total shares for the day, 114,300.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Following were the closing prices, sales and high and low quotations today:

Sales—		High.	Low.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
1,500	Alaska	24¾	24½	24½	24¾
....	Allis Chalmers	....	....	8	9
....	Allis Chal. pfd.	....	....	34	37
2,400	Amalg. Copper	55¾	54⅝	54½	54⅝
100	Am. Agr. Chem.	49	49	47	50
....	Am. Agr. C. pfd.	....	....	91	92
300	Am. Car & Fdy.	45	44⅝	44⅝	46
....	Am. C. & F. pfd.	....	....	116	117
1,300	Am. Can Co.	26¼	26	26⅛	26¼
....	Am. Can Co. pfd.	....	....	90	91
2,400	Am. Beet Sugar	30¼	29	29	30¾
....	Am. B. Sugar pfd.	....	....	78	80
600	Am. Cotton Oil	40¾	39½	40	40¼
500	Am. Ice Securities	23	22¾	22½	23
200	Am. Hide & L.	4	4	4	4½
....	Am. H. & L. pfd.	....	....	19	21
....	Am. Linseed	....	....	7⅝	9
100	Am. Linseed pfd.	24	24	23¾	24
....	Am. Locomotive	....	....	23	25
100	Am. Loco. pfd.	96¾	96¾	96	96½
....	Am. Steel Fdy.	....	....	26	32
700	Am. S. & R. Co.	58¾	58¼	58¼	58¾
....	Am. S. & R. pfd.	....	....	99½	100
....	Am. Sugar	....	....	106¼	107
....	Am. Sugar pfd.	....	....	114	116
....	Am. Snuff	....	....	148	160
200	Am. Tel. & Tel.	118	118	117¾	118¼
....	Am. Tob. Co.	....	....	103	104
....	Am. Tob. pfd.	....	....	218½	221
600	Anaconda	26¾	26½	26½	27
1,400	A. T. & S. F.	93¾	93⅛	93	93¾
....	A. T. & S. F. pfd.	....	....	97	99
1,300	Balt. & Ohio	70¼	69¼	69½	70
....	B. & O. pfd.	....	....	69	69½
1,400	Bethlehem Steel	40¾	40	40	41
100	Beth. Steel pfd.	85	85	84½	85½
400	Brooklyn R. T.	86⅜	85⅞	85¾	86
100	Cal. Petrol. Co.	17¼	17¼	16¾	17¼
200	Cal. Petrol. pfd.	54⅜	54	50	54
1,800	Canadian Pacific	158¼	157¼	157¾	158¼
1,700	Chino	34¼	34	34	34¼
....	C. & O.	....	....	43¾	44¼
6,300	Central Leather	37¼	35¼	36¾	36¾
500	Central L. pfd.	101⅛	100¾	101	101½
200	C. & G. W.	11	11	11¼	12
200	C. & G. W. pfd.	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¾
....	C. & N. W.	....	....	125	126½
1,400	C. M. & St. P.	91¼	90⅝	90¼	90⅝
....	Do. pfd	....	....	127	130
....	Colo. Fuel & Iron	....	....	23½	24½
....	Consolidated Gas	....	....	119½	121
....	Corn Products	....	....	8¾	9
....	Do. pfd	....	....	66	68
....	Del. & Hudson	....	....	142	150
....	D. L. & W.	....	....	389	400
100	D. & R. G.	5	5	4½	5½
....	D. & R. G. pfd.	....	....	9	9¾
....	Distilling Sec.	....	....	13	13½
5,200	Erie	22⅜	22	22	22⅛
200	Erie 1st pfd.	35	34¾	34½	35
....	Erie 2nd pfd.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	Gen. Electric	....	....	139	141
400	Gen. Motors com.	85	84¾	84	86
400	Gen. Motors pfd.	92	91½	91	92
100	Goodrich Rubber	25¾	25¾	25½	26
....	Do. pfd	....	....	88	90
800	Gt. Northern pfd.	116¼	115¾	115	115½
400	Gt. No. Ore Ctfs.	27	26	26¼	27
300	Guggenheim Ex.	46¾	46½	46	46½
1,100	Inspiration Copper	17¼	16¾	16¾	17
....	Int'l Harv. Co.	....	....	90	91¼
....	Int'l Harv. pfd.	....	....	114	116½
....	Int'l Paper	....	....	7⅛	8½
....	Int'l Paper pfd.	....	....	33	34
700	Inter-Met.	12½	12¼	12	12½
1,000	Inter-Met. pfd.	52½	52	51½	52
....	Iowa Central	....	....	5	7
....	Iowa Central pfd.	....	....	10	13
300	K. C. Southern	22¼	22	22	22½
100	K. C. So. pfd.	55	55	55	57
....	L. & N.	....	....	125	126
300	Lehigh Valley	135	133	133½	134¾
200	Miami Copper Co.	18¼	18	18	18¼
1,400	Mex. Petrol. Co.	51¾	51	51	51½
....	Minn. & St. L.	....	....	11	13
300	M. K. & Texas	10¼	9¾	10	10¼
100	M. K. & T. pfd.	30	30	29½	30
100	Missouri Pacific	10¼	9¾	9½	9¾
100	National Lead	46	46	45¼	47
....	Nat'l Lead pfd.	....	....	104	107½
100	Nat'l Biscuit	124	124	123½	124
....	Nat'l Enamel	....	....	10	11½
....	Nat'l Enamel pfd.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,400	Nevada Con.	12½	12¼	12½	12¾
600	N. Y., N. H. & H.	54¾	54¼	55¼	55¾
....	N. Y., Ont. & W.	21	20	20½	21½
....	Norfolk & W.	....	....	100	101
100	N. & W. pfd.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	North American	68	68	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,100	Northern Pacific	102	102	101¾	102¼
300	Pacific Mail	21¼	21	20	22
....	Pac. Tel. & Tel.	....	....	24	26
....	Pac. T. & T. pfd.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,700	Penn. R. R. Co.	108¾	108	108½	108¾
....	People's Gas	....	....	115½	117½
....	Pressed Steel Car	....	....	24	26
....	P. Steel Car pfd.	....	....	100	101½
....	P. C. C. & St. L.	....	....	80	[illegible]
2,800	Ray Con.	17	16¾	16¾	17
100	Ry. Steel Springs	24	24	24	26
....	Ry. Steel S. pfd.	....	....	90	[illegible]
10,600	Reading	141¾	141¼	141½	141¾
100	Republic I. & S.	19¾	19¾	19	19¾
....	R. I. & S. pfd.	....	....	73	[illegible]
300	Rock Island	1¼	1	1	1¼
1,200	Rock Island pfd.	2	1¾	1½	2
600	Rumley com	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
400	Sears Roebuck Co.	180	175	175	177
....	Sloss S. S. & I.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	St. L. & S. F. com	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
4,200	Southern Pacific	86¼	86	86	86¼
700	Southern Railway	16¼	16	16	16¼
1,200	Studebaker com	34¼	33	33¼	34
200	Studebaker pfd	87¾	87	87	88
....	Third Ave. Ry.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Tenn. Copper	33	32¾	32⅝	33
200	Texas Oil	131	130	130½	131
100	T. St. L. & W.	3¾	3¾	3½	4
....	Do. pfd.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	Twin City R. T.	....	....	95	98
....	U. B. & P. Co.	....	....	4½	5¼
....	U. B. & P. pfd.	....	....	18½	23
4,900	Union Pacific	118¼	117¾	117⅞	118¼
....	U. P. pfd.	....	....	78½	79¼
4,300	Utah Copper	50	49¼	49½	49¾
....	U. R. R. of S. F.	....	....	8	9
....	Do. pfd	....	....	24¼	25
....	U. S. C. Iron Pipe	....	....	7	9
400	U. S. Rubber	54⅜	53	54¼	56
800	U. S. R. 1st pfd.	102	101¾	101	102
17,400	U. S. Steel Cor.	51⅛	50¼	50⅜	51
400	U. S. Steel pfd.	104¾	104	104	104¼
500	Va. Car. Chem.	21½	20¾	20¾	22
400	Wabash	1	1	¾	1
100	Wabash pfd.	2¼	2¼	2	2¼
400	Western Union	58¾	58¼	58½	59
400	Westinghouse	68¾	68	67¾	68¼
400	Western Md. com.	14¼	14	14	14¾
....	W. & L. E.	....	....	2⅝	3¼
....	Do. 1st pfd.	....	....	9	12
....	Do. 2nd pfd.	....	....	3¼	4
....	Wisconsin Central	....	....	29¼	33
....	Woolworth com	....	....	90	91

Total sales—118,100 shares.

Money opened at 3¼ per cent.; highest, 3¼ per cent.; lowest, 3 per cent.; last loan, 3 per cent.; closed, 3 per cent.; ruling rate, 3@3¼ per cent.

New York Bond Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Closing quotations:

	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Government 2s registered	96	
U. S. Government 2s coupon	96	97
U. S. Government 3s registered	100	....
U. S. Government 3s coupon	100	....
U. S. Government 4s registered	108½	....
U. S. Government 4s coupon	108½	....
Panama 2s registered	95½	....
Panama of 1938 2s registered	95½	....
Receipts 2s	98½	100
Receipts 2s coupon	99	....

NEW YORK COTTON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands, 7.35.

New York Cotton Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Following is range of quotations:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	—Close— Bi.	Ask.
January	7.06	7.17	7.06	7.16	7.18
March	7.25	7.38	7.24	7.35	7.36
May	7.42	7.54	7.42	7.52	7.53
July	7.59	7.71	7.59	7.68	7.70
October	7.88	7.97	7.88	7.96	7.97
December	6.89	6.97	6.89	6.86	6.87

Spots were at 7.35.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

More Active Issues Show Easier Tone, but Improvement is Noted in Certain Securities.

The market was duller, with somewhat of an easier tone yesterday on the Stock Exchange. National Pacific continued to display some activity, but no particular feature developed in the list. United Oil was easier. Union held at 50.00, but revealed a slightly softer feeling at the close. Maricopa Northern was stronger. Mascot improved in tone. National Pacific was easier. Los Angeles Investment lost ½ point. Home Telephone preferred was stronger. Ten shares changed hands at 25.00. Ten shares of Associated went at 36.25, and the sale of 100 off board was reported. Yesterday was the first time since the reopening that a trade in Associated was recorded on the exchange. The informal mining call was quiet, with 3000 shares of Great Bend at 10 cents the only trade. The bond list continues to evince a fairly firm tone. No sales were recorded.

LOCAL CLOSING. STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman building.]

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$73.50	$76.00
Associated Oil	36.25	36.50
Brookshire	.10	....
Cal. Midway Oil Co.	....	.02¼
Cariboo	....	1.25
Central	.00	....
Columbia	....	.80
Continental	....	.30
Enos Oil Co.	.01	....
Euclid	....	.07
Fullerton	....	3.50
Globe	....	.03
Mar. Northern	.01½	....
Mascot Oil Co.	.45	.75
Mer. Pet. pfd.	....	75.00
Midway Oil Co.	.15½	.17
National Pacific Oil Co.	.04⅝	.05
New Penn	....	.35
Olinda	....	.37½
Rice Ranch	....	....
Traders	1.25	....
Union	12.00	20.00
Union Prov.	49.00	50.00
United Pro.	47.00	50.00
United Oil Co.	.34	.36
West Coast Oil Co. pfd.	95.00	102.00
Western Union	82.00	86.00
White Star	.05	.10

BANK STOCK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings	$140.00	....
Citizens' National	222.50	260.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	520.00	....
First National	590.00	610.00
German-American Tr. & Sav.	335.00	375.00
Home Savings	115.00	145.00
Merchants' National	220.00	260.00
National Bank of Cal.	220.00	250.00
Security Trust & Sav. Bank	347.50	....
U. S. National Bank	165.00	....

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Consolidated Realty	....	$86.00
Emergency Hospital	....	....
Home Telephone pfd.	24.50	27.00
Home Telephone com.	....	10.00
L. A. Investment	.52	.55
Pac. Mut. Life Ins. Co.	525.00	....
Producers' Transportation Co.	63.00	65.00
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	88.00	....
San Diego Home T. & T. Co.	4.00	7.00
S. Monica Bay H. T. & T.	4.00	7.00
Sun Drug	....	1.00
Title Ins. & Tr. Co.	151.00	....
T. R. L. D. T. & T.	....	.15
Whittier Home T. & T.	....	11.00

BOND LIST.

(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co. 6s	85	....
Associated Oil Co. 5s	95½	96
Cal Pac. Ry. 5s	....	100
Corona City Water Co. 6s	96	....
Corona Power & W. Co. 6s	....	100
Cucamonga Water Co. 6s	....	101
Edison Elec. Co., 1st Rfdg. 5s	94	....
Edison Elec. Co., old issue, 5s	98	....
Home Telephone Co. 5s	80½	82½
Home Tel. Co., 1st Rfdg. 5s	70⅞	75
Huasteca Joint Bonds 6s	92	....
Huasteca Pipe Line 6s	96	....
L. A. Electric Co. 5s	94	....
L. A. Gas & Elec Co. 5s	....	97½
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge. 5s	98	....
L. A. Pac. Ry. 1st Rfdg. 5s	88	....
L. A. Public Market Co. 6s	102	....
L. A. Railway Co. 5s	98½	100
L. A. Railway Co. 5s	....	101
Mission Trans. & R. Co. 5s	80	90
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co. 5s	97½	100
Pac. Light & Power Co. 5s	85½	....
Pac. L. & P. Gtd.	85½	....
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co. 5s	80	....
Prod. Trans. Co. 5s	....	95½
Riverside H. T. 5s	....	80
S. Diego Home Tel. 5s	....	80
S. Diego H. T. & T. 1st Rfdg.	....	90
Santa Monica Home T. & T. 5s	....	80
Temescal Water Co. 6s	98½	100
Union Oil Co. 5s	82½	85
Union Transportation Co. 5s	84	85

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bonnie Clare	....	.01
Cons. Mines	.02½	.02¾
Cal. Hills	.01½	.02½
*Johnnie M. & M.	4.50	5.00
*Searchlight Parallel	3.00	....

UNLISTED MINING ISSUES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Atlanta	.36½	.40
Butte Creek	....	.10½
Blue Bull	.04	.05½
Booth	.13½	.14½
Boundary Cone	....	.15
C. O. D.	.08½	....
Combination Five	....	.10
Conqueror	.02	.04½
Crackerjack	.02	.02½
Columbia Mountain	.02½	.04
Commonwealth	....	.06
Daisy	.07	....
Frances Mohawk	.02½	....
Goldfield Con.	1.45	1.47½
Great Bend	....	.12
Lone Star	....	.15
Merger	....	.15
*Pick & Drill	1.50	2.50
Red Hills	.02	.05½
Silver Pick	.12	....
Tom Reed	3.00	....
Yellow Tiger	.05	.08
Yellow Pine	....	.41

*Per 1000 shares.

SALES.

Morning session: 4000 Maricopa Northern at 1⅞; 10 Associated at 36.25; 1000 National Pacific at 5¼, 23,000 at 5; 1000 United at 35, 1000 at 34½; 10 Home Telephone pfd. at 25.00; 100 L. A. Investment at 54½; 10,000 National Pacific (off board) at 5; 100 Associated (off board) at 36.00.

Afternoon session: 2000 Maricopa Northern at 1⅞; 5 Union at 49.00, 10 at 50.00, 5 at 50.00, 5 at 50.00.

Informal mining call: 3000 Great Bend at 10.

Local Grain Market.

Following are quotations furnished by the Grain Exchange. All commodities are sacked unless otherwise specified, and are f.o.b. Los Angeles.

Northern Turkey		
Utah white milling (bulk)		$2.00
Utah Turkey milling (bulk)		2.05
Northern Turkey milling		1.95
Sonora		1.96¼
Local bright barley	1.22½@	1.30
Local dark barley	1.22½@	1.27½
Utah feed barley		1.32½
Utah white oats		1.62½
Eastern corn		1.65
Egyptian corn		1.52½
Milo maize	1.35@	1.42½
Utah white bran (per ton)		29.50
Local white bran (per ton)		29.00
Northern bran (ton)		26.00
White oats, chopped (per ton)		19.50

California Dried Fruits.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Evaporated apples, quiet. Prunes steady. Apricots and peaches inactive, but steady. Raisins firm.

Portland Wheat Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 16.—Wheat steady; bid prices: Bluestem, 1.20; fortyfold, 1.19½; club, 1.19; Red Russian, 1.13; Red Fife, 1.14.

COMMERCIAL.

Some decided changes in the quotations of bakers' products were announced yesterday by the local millers, this in conformation with similar changes through the East. Rye flour advanced about 20 per cent. over the previous price, the new quotation on this being $4.70 per hundred pounds in five-pound bags. Whole-wheat flour jumped 40 cents, the new selling price being $4.30, against a previous $3.90. Oatmeal, both steel cut and ground, was up a similar amount. Pearl barley jumped to $7.60, a record quotation. Split peas, green and yellow, advanced to $8.20. According to report there has been a very heavy demand for these products from abroad, and many shiploads are carrying them to belligerent European powers.

A few changes were reported in the vegetable market. Lettuce has been very plentiful, and of no extra good quality, so that the price is now at 75 cents a crate. Cabbage is selling at the same figure per sack. Peppers have gone up, these selling from 5 to 6 on bell, and 5 cents on chile peppers. Okra is entirely off the market. Rhubarb is sufficient to supply all call, and remains stationary.

On the market of staples the call was only normal, and there were no changes reported here. In the north eggs advanced 1 cent per dozen. Receipts of this product were 132 cases. Butter arrivals were 29,160 pounds, and cheese 6660 pounds.

Because of heavy rains in the north during the past few days shipments of potatoes were practically suspended, and none were reported in. Onion receipts were 609 sacks. There were only a few sacks of beans received, and 554 sacks of sweet potatoes. Garlic was advanced because of a diminishing supply. The new price reaches 17½ cents.

Apple arrivals were 3770 boxes. The fruit market was practically featureless. Berries were scarce and prices firm.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Prices Current.

Following are jobbing quotations unless otherwise specified:

EGGS—Fresh ranch, case count, 38; candled, 42; Petaluma-Santa Rosa, extras, 46; northern case count, 45.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 30 per lb.; firsts, 28; country, 23; ladies, 22. The jobbing price is from 3 to 4 cents higher than above quotations.

CHEESE—California fresh, 15@15½; eastern daisies, 18½; eastern twins, 17½; longhorns, 18½@19; Oregon triplets, 17@17½; imported Swiss, 36@38; domestic Swiss block, 20@21; Limburger, 19@21; Edam, 8.00@8.50; Sierra, 1.10@1.20; Canada cream, 95@1.00; Roquefort, 38; German breakfast, 90; cream brick, 19@20.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navels, 2.00@2.10; lemons, packed, 2.50; loose, 2.00@2.25; juice, 1.25; grapefruit, seedless, 2.25; tangerines, 1.75 per box; limes, 75@1.00.

FRESH FRUIT—Apples, Bellefleurs, 75@1.00; Jonathans, Oregon, 1.60@1.75; Washington, 1.60@1.75; Spitzenbergs, 1.35@1.75; Roman Beauties, 1.25@1.35; Pearmains, 75@90; bananas, 3¼@4; pineapples, 5¼@6; casabas, 1.25 per dozen; figs, 1.75@2.00 per two-layer box; grapes, per lug box: Tokays, 1.35@1.50; Red Emperors, 1.40@1.60; Cornichons, 1.25@1.30; Malagas, 1.25@1.35 per crate; Winter Nellis, 1.50 per lug, 2.25 per packed box; quinces, 75@85 per lug; persimmons, 4@8 per lb.; pomegranates, 1.50@1.75 per box.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 6@11 per basket; raspberries, 12@15; blackberries, 13@15; cranberries, Late Howe, 9.00@9.25; guavas, 5@7 per basket.

GREEN VEGETABLES—These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Beets, 30@35 doz.; carrots, 30@35 doz.; oyster plant, 30@35 doz.; turnips, 30@35 doz.; leeks, 30@40 doz.; parsnips, 25@30 doz.; peas, 10@12 lb.; spinach, 20 doz.; cabbage, 65@75; lettuce, 75@85 crate; escarole, 40 doz.; green onions, 15@20 doz.; mint, 25@40 doz.; artichokes, 80@1.00 doz.; peppers, 5@6; chili peppers, 4@5 per lb.; pimientoes, 6@7 per lb.; rhubarb, 75@85 per box; cucumbers, hothouse, 65@1.25; horseradish, 9@11; summer squash, 1.00@1.10 per lug; crook-neck squash, 45@55; Hubbard squash, 1¼@1½ lb.; chayote squash, 55@65 a lug box; tomatoes, 80@90 lug; celery, northern, 2.25@2.50 a crate; local, 1.65@1.75 crate; string beans, 11@12; eggplant, 4@6; cauliflower, 50@60 per doz.; pumpkins, 1¼@2 lb.

POTATOES — Northern Burbanks, 1.30@1.40 per cwt.; Shimas, 1.45@1.50; Salinas, 1.75@1.85; Lompocs, 1.70@1.80; Idaho spuds, 1.30@1.35; sweets, 60@75 lug; 1.40@1.60 cwt.

BEANS—Pink, No. 1, 4.15@4.25; Lady Washington, 5.15@5.25; small whites, 4.80@4.90; Limas, No. 1, 5.60@5.75; Garvanzas, 6.00@7.50; black eyes, 4.90@5.25; lentils, 8.00@9.00.

RICE—Per 100 lbs.; head, 5.50@6.00; blue rose head, 5.25@5.50; Japanese, 4.50@4.75; California, 4.75@5.00; Siam, 5.00; broken, 3.50@3.75.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 14; loose, 12; chile tepins, 1.00 lb.; ground chile, 10@12; Japanese, 25; corn husks, 8; do. cut, 12; onions, White Globes, 4.50 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 1.50@1.65; Yellow Danvers, 1.50@1.65; garlic, 15@17.

HONEY — Comb, fancy water white, 14; white, 12; light amber, 11; extracted, light amber, 5¼; white, 6; water white, 7; beeswax, 32 per lb.

DRIED FRUITS—(25-lb. boxes; faced 50s, ½c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 6½@8¼; ex. choice, 7; fancies, 7½; apricots, choice, 8¼; extra choice, 9; fancy, 10. Currants, bulk, bbls., 10½; 80 16-oz. packages, 11¼; 30 12-oz. packages, 8¼. Nectarines, 12½; pears, 8@12; plums, 10; peaches, choice, 5½; fancy, 6; prunes, 20-30s, 17; 30-40s, 11; 40-50s, 9½@9¾; 50-60s, 8¼; 60-70s, 8½; 70-80s, 7¾; 80-90s, 6¼; 90-100s, 5¾; figs, 1.25 10-lb. layer box.

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES—Raisins, seeded, 36 16-oz., choice, 7@8; fancy, 7¼@8¼; 45 12-oz., choice, 6@6¼; Not-a-seed, 36 12-oz., 8¼; 2-crown loose, 50-lb. box, 6; 3-crown, loose, 50-lb. box, 6¾; 4-crown loose, 50-lb. box, 7¾; Sultana, unbleached, 6¼; bleached seedless, 11¼@12; Thompson seedless, 36 1s, 8¼@9; 2-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 1.45@1.55 box; 3-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 1.75 box; 4-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 2.00 box; 5-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 2.50@2.75 box; 6-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 3.00@3.25 box. Figs, white, 12 12-oz. cartons, 85; do., 16-oz. cartons, 90; do., 12 16-oz. cartons, 1.10; do., 50 6-oz. cartons, 1.80; loose, black, 25-lb. box, 6@6½ lb.; loose, white, 25-lb. box, 8¼@9 lb.; imported, 18@20 lb. Dates, Golden, 10-lb. boxes, new, 7½ lb.; Golden, pkgs., 9 lb.; Fards, 60 lb. boxes, 11 lb.; Fards, 12s, 12¼@13 lb.

NUTS—New Almonds, fancy, IXL, 21@22; Ne Plus Ultra, 20@21; thinshell Drakes, 15@16; hardshells, 14@15; cocoanuts, per dozen; filberts, 15; pecans, large, 17; peanuts, California raw, 6; eastern, 7½; Japan, 7½; rice corn, 5.00@5.25; walnuts, budded, 21@21¼; jumbos, 19@19½; softshell, No. 1, 17@17½; softshell, No. 2, 13@14; unbleached, 12@13.

POULTRY — Prices to producers: Broilers, 26; fryers, 20; roasters, 15; old cocks, 9; hens, 15@18; turkeys, 18@20; ducks, 17, geese, 16; squabs, pigeons, doz., 2.00.

Provision List.

MUTTON — Yearlings, 12; wethers, 12; ewes, 11; racks, 14; legs, 13; loins, 14½; saddles, 12½; trimmed mutton, 13½; fore quarters, mutton, 9½; shoulder and breast, 9; No. 2 mutton wether, 11; No. 2 mutton ewes, 10; tongues, each, 2½; plux, each, 5; heads, skinned, each, 5; brains, each, 5; hearts, each, 2½.

LAMBS — Lambs, plain, 15; do., caul, 14½; lamb racks, 19; trimmed lambs, 18, fore lambs, 15; hind lambs, 17; loins, 19; legs, 14; shoulder and breast, 12; No. 2 lambs, 14.

LIVE STOCK—(Furnished by Pacific Coast Beef and Provision Company:) 5@5½; bulls, 4@4½; wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 4.00@4.25; lambs, 3.50@4.00; yearlings, 4.25@4.50; hogs, 7.00@8.00.

BEEF — (Furnished by Cudahy Packing Company:) No. 1 steers, 12; medium steers, 11¾; No. 1 cows, 11¼; medium cows, 11¼; steer hind quarters, No. 1, 13; do., medium, 12½; cows, hind quarters, 12; fore quarters, 10¼; do., kosher, 10; good bulls, 10; No. 2 bulls, 9½; short loins, 17; pin bone loins, 18; loins, No. 1, 15; do., medium, 14; cow loins, 14; ribs, No. 1 8-rib cut, 14; do., 7-rib cut, 16; ribs, medium, 12; 10½; full chux, 10¼; triangles, 10; plates, 9½; steer rounds and rumps, 13; do., rumps off, 14; do., butt on, 13½; heifer rounds, 12½; tenderloins, fresh, 30; do., frozen, 25; shoulder clods, 16; boned chux, 12@12½; shanks, 5; flank steak, 15; whole flanks, 11; do., fat off, 12½; beef suet, 10; cod fat, 8; sweetbreads, fresh, 25; do., frozen, 10-lb. tins, 25; fresh tongues, 17; pickled tongues, 18; cooked tripe, 4; cleaned tripe, 3; hearts, 8; livers, fresh, 10; do., frozen, 10; ox tails, fresh, each, 8½; do. frozen, lb., 8; brains, each, 8; kidneys, each, 8; feet, 10; heads (barbecue), each, 3.60.

VEAL—120 lbs. and under, 17; 121 to 150 lbs., 16¼; 151 lbs. and up, 16; sides 60 lbs. and under, 17; 61 to 80 lbs., 16½; 81 lbs. and up, 16; hinds, 45 lbs. and under, 20; do., 46 lbs. and up, 19; fore quarters, 45 lbs. and under, 13; do., 46 lbs. and up, 12.

PORK—Dressed hogs, head on, 14; do., heads off, 15; trimmed hogs, 16½; loins, fresh, 20½; do., Diamond C frozen, short, 20; legs, fresh, 15½; shoulders, fresh, 12½; picnics, fresh, 12½; butts, 13@14½; bellies, 17; leaf lard, 12; trimmings, 12; tenderloins, fresh, 35; do., 10-lb. tins, frozen, 32½; spare ribs, 13; do., frozen, 12; heads per lb., 7; backfat, 11½; tails, 9; do., frozen, 9; neck bones, 6; pigs' feet, 4; hearts, per lb., 8; livers, each, 8; kidneys, per lb., 8; tongues, per lb., 10; snouts per lb., 5; ears, per lb., 8½; chitterlings, 5; brains, each, 2; jowls, 10.

HAMS—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers.) Extra fancy, 20½; fancy, 19½; medium, 18½; smoked and boiled, fancy, 30¼; fancy boiled, 30½; medium boiled, 29¼; boneless, 31½; picnics, boned and tied, 15½.

BACON—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 4-6, 30; 6-8, 29; extra fancy, 6-8, 28@28½; 8-10, 25; 10-12, 24½; medium, 8-10, 24½; 10-12, 23½; 12-14, 22; narrow, 22; strips, 16½; backs, 10; briskets, 15½.

LARD—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 14; fancy, 13; medium, 12@12½; suetene in tierces, 10; shortening, 12½; lard compound, 8½.

SAUSAGE—Fresh pork, links, 14; fresh pork, bulk, 14; Clubhouse, 14; Spanish style pork, 14½; garlic, 12½; blood, 11½; liver, 11½; headcheese in casings, 11½; sour headcheese in 4-lb. blocks, 13; Frankfurt sausage, 13; bologna, 11½; bologna in paraffine sacks, 11½; Coney Island, Frankfurt style, 13; Metwurst, 16; minced sausage in bladders, 15½; minced sausage in bungs, 15½; luncheon loaf with tongue, 21; Berlin style, 17.

SUMMER SAUSAGE — *Margherita Milano salami, 29; *Salami, Italian style, 28; *Italian cervelat, 25; *American cervelat, 23; *salami, German style, 26; *American salami, German style, 24; farmer style, 21; Holsteiner, 20*.

*Above in case lots 1 cent less.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS—D. S. bellies, 15; D. S. fat backs, 12½; D. S. clear backs, 14; D. S. extras, 15; smoked butts, 20; backs, 20; beef, tongues, 19; do., smoked, 32; insides, 31; outsides, 28.

PICKLED MEATS—Pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; do., ¼ bbls., 2.75; do. ½ bbls., 5.25; do., bbls., 12.50; H. C. tripe, kits, 1.15; do., ¼ bbls., 2.60; do., ½ bbls., 5.00; do., bbls., 12.00; lamb tongues, kits, 2.50; ¼ bbls., 6.00; ½ bbls., 12.75; bbls., 32.00; plate beef, ½ bbls., 10.50; bbls., 19.00.

SUGAR—Prices quoted below are for Los Angeles. Pomona country list is 5c higher; Colton city list is 20c higher; Colton country list is 17½c higher. Prices are based on sacks; bbls. add 10c; ½ bbls., 25c and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 25 cents per cwt. 15 days. Beet, gran., 5.70; standard cane, 5.90; standard berry, 5.90; cubes, (sacks,) 6.15; cubes (5-lb. boxes,) 6.45; candy gran., 6.05; powdered, 6.00; Cons. A, 5.90; extra C, 5.40; Golden C, 5.30; D, 5.20; Dominoes, 2s, 10.20; Dominoes, 2s, 10.60; Superior, 7x, powdered bbls., 6.65; Superior, 7x, powdered, ¼ bbls., 6.80; Superior, 7x, powdered, 30-lb. boxes, 7.05; Superior, 7x, bar bbls., 7.05; Superior, 7x, bar, ¼ bbls., 7.20; Superior, 7x, bar, 25-lb. tins, 8.75; Superior, 7x, 30-lb. boxes, 7.55.

SALT—(San Pedro Salt Co.) Blue Cross, cartons, 48 2s, 1.60; do. cartons, 30 5s, 1.40; Angelus, bales, all sizes, 1.65; Blue Cross table salt, 150-lb. bales, 75 2s, 50 3s, 30 5s, 15 10s, 2.25a bale, 1.75; Blue Cross dairy, 50s, 15.00 ton; Wilmington table, 50s, 15.00 ton; ¼ ground and ice cream, 50s, 10.00 ton; do. 10s, 9.50 ton; rock, 50s, 10.00 ton; do., 100s, 9.50 ton; hide, 187s, 8.75 ton. Kansas Salt R S V P, 20 5s, 2.90; do., 36 2s, 2.50; Purity, 28 2s, 200; Seal, 30 2s, 1.85; Wyandotte, 62 2s, 3.20 bale; 24 3¼s, 3.25 bale; 23 5s, 3.25 bale; 18 10s, 2.95 bale; 125 8s, 6.25 bale; 25 10s, 3.95 bale; Riverside or Perfection, 36 1¼s, 2.50 bale; 28 4s, 2.40 bale; 15 10s, 2.25 bale; ice cream, 20 10s, 3.00 bale; Ashland dairy, 50s, 28.00 ton; lump, 280s, 3.00 bbl.; kiln dried, 50s, 65; lump, rock stock, 23.00 ton. Quantity prices, one or assorted, miscellaneous sale: White Crystal, 36 2s, 1.35 case; do., 15 5s, 1.15 case. (One case free with 5.) Shaker, 24 pkgs., 1.80; Sunflower, 50 shakers, 1.55; D. C. table, 24 3s, 2.10; Diamond Crystal, 30 8s, 5.23; do., 100 3s, 3.50; do., 200 1¼s, 5.75; D. C. cooking, 24 3s, 1.80; Worcester brand, Ivory salt, 24 2¼ cartons, 1.75; bbls., 100 3-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 70 4-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 60 5-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 20 ½-lb. sacks, 4.75; do., 30 10-lb. sacks, 4.75.

GRAIN AND FEED — Per 100 lbs.:

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 16. — Eleven cars navels sold. Market unchanged. Weather fair and cold.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Lotta	$2.20
Earlibest, C.C. Lemoncove	2.65
Eignaro, C.C. Lindsay	2.45
Sans Segal, C.C. Lindsay	2.45
Mt. Whitney, T.C. Success	2.60
Exeter, imp., C.C. Exeter	2.70
Exeter, C.C. Exeter	2.50
Golden State, C.C. Lemoncove	2.60
Graig-y-nos, C.C. Lindsay	2.45
Red Banks Orchard, imp.	2.10
Birch Bark	1.80
Native Son, King Ft. Co.	2.05

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Nine cars oranges, two cars lemons sold. Clear and cold. Market unchanged.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Forget-me-not, T.C. Ponca	$2.60
King Camobell, C.C. Wahtoke	2.10
Blue Label, C.C. Lindsay	2.60
Paul and Virginia, C.C. Lindsay	2.60
Earlibest, C.C. Lemoncove	3.20
Sunflower, Foothill O.G. Co.	2.10
Niagara, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.00
Maljan Blue	1.95
E. Highland A.A., E. High. C.A.	1.80
Maljan Red	1.80
Chanticleer, E. High. C.A.	1.75

LEMONS.

Rey, S.T. Fernando	$2.40
Canna, S.B. Y. Spur	2.85
Cosmos	2.35

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—Two cars navels, one car lemons sold. Market is steady. Colder. Twenty-four cars Floridas sold. Market firm on good fruit. Oranges sold $1.15 to $4.30, average $1.75; grapefruit 60 cents to $1.55, average $1.10.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Pocahontas, T.C. Zante	$1.85
Red Label, C.C. Lindsay	1.65
Red Label, imp., C.C. Lindsay	1.70
Happy Boy, imp., C.C. Lindsay	1.50
Happy Boy, C.C. Company	1.60

LEMONS.

Pioneer, C.C. Lindsay	$2.40
Hetch-Hetchy	2.20

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Merchants' National Bank, Corner of Sixth and Spring	W. H. HOLLIDAY, Pres. J. H. RAMBOZ, Cashier	Capital / Surplus and Profits	$1,000,000 / $500,000
Citizens National Bank, S.W. Cor. Third and Main	A. J. WATERS, Pres. E. T. PETTIGREW, Cashier	Capital / Surplus and Undivided Profits	$1,500,000 / $700,000
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat. Bank, Cor. Fourth and Main	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. V. H. ROSSETTI, Cash'r	Capital / Surplus and Profits	$1,500,000 / $2,000,000

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THURSDAY MORNING

Industrial

NAVAL RAID CAUSES DROP

[...]s Market[...]

[...]RN CITRUS [...]ET QUOTATIONS

[...]—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

Pittsburgh Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16.—Three [...] oranges, one car lemons sold [...] cars Floridas sold, averaging [...] Cold.

NAVELS.

Blue Label, C.C. Lindsay [...]
Bell Cove, C.C. Lemoncove [...]
Blue Label, C.C. Lindsay [...]

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16.—Clear [...] er. Market easy account weather [...] cars navels, one lemons sold.

NAVELS.

Sphynx, C.C. Lindsay [...]
Oro Flora, C.C. Lindsay [...]
Villa, [...]
Luna, Amer. Ft. Dis. [...]
Defender, Altland Ft. Co. [...]
Young America, P. & McKee [...]

LEMONS.

Pico, S.T. Whittier [...]

Cincinnati Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE [...]

CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.—Cold [...] California citrus fruit sold [...] steady on Floridas. Eight cars [...] oranges, two cars grapefruit [...] Florida oranges sold $1.60 to [...] erage $1.60; grapefruit 65 to [...] erage $1.10.

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

December 15 ...... Oranges 16 [...]

TULARE COUNTY.

December 14 ...... Oranges 68 [...]

BUTTE COUNTY.

December 14 ...... Oranges 11 [...]

Chicago Citrus Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE [...]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 16.—Pacific Slope fruit [...] Grapes, cases, four baskets [...] Pears, boxes, forty pounds [...] Pomegranates, boxes, 25 pounds [...] @2.00. Apples, per barrel [...] 1.50@4.00; boxes, western [...] 2.25. Grapefruit, boxes, 1.25@[...] ons, boxes, 1.00@3.50. Malaga [...] kegs, 4.50@6.25. Oranges [...] @3.00. Pears, barrels, 1.50@[...] apples, cases, 24@26, 27@[...] berries, per barrel, 1.00@[...] berries, per quart, 60@65.

Alfalfa meals, 1.20; alfalfa [...] 1.25; granulated, 2.05; bone [...] blood meals, 2.45; XXXX [...] 2.10; barley, rolled, 1.60; [...] 2.30; XXXX chick food, 2.[...] bale of 20 5-lb. bars, 1.[...] eastern whole, 2.20; corn [...] yellow, 2.00; whole white [...] corn, cracked, 2.05; XXXX dry [...] superior egg food,) per [...] Kaffir corn, 2.10; Egyptian [...] grit, granite, 80; red food [...] white feed oats, 1.90; rolled oats [...] feed meal, 2.10; cheap oats [...] shells, 65; oyster shell, 1.[...] feed, 2.30; bran, 1.60; shorts [...] wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 2.[...] wheat, 2.40; Milo maize, [...] meals, 2.15; rye seed, 1.[...]

WHEAT FLOUR.—Capitol Milling Co.: [...] rora, 6.30; Trophy, 6.[...] bakers' 6.80; bakers' [...] Cal. wheat blend, 6.60; [...] Eclipse, 6.60. Los Angeles [...] Forex, 7.00 per bbl.; [...] ing Glory, 5.10; Just [...] flour, 6.60; Forex bakers [...] bakers' pastry, 6.00.

Cornmeal, white [...]
Cornmeal, yellow [...]
Graham flour [...]
Buckwheat flour [...]
Rye flour, or meal [...]
Oatmeal, steel cut [...]
Oatmeal, ground [...]
Hominy, large, small [...]
Cracked wheat [...]
Entire wheat flour [...]
Pearl barley [...]
Split peas, yellow [...]
Split peas, green [...]
Farina [...]
Nutri Germ [...]

HAY—Alfalfa, 16.50@[...] barley hay, 12.00@[...] 12.00@16.00; timothy hay [...] wheat hay, 16.00@14.00 [...] 9.00.

Oil List.

Pearl Oil or Union, water white, iron bbls. and wagons [...]
Pearl oil or Union, water white, cases, 5c [...]
Elaine oil, cases, 2 [...]
Eocene oil, cases, 2 [...]
Aurora Headlight in cases [...]
V. M. & P. naphtha, [...] drums [...]
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases [...]
Red Crown and Union gasoline, iron bbls. and tank wagons [...]
Red Crown and Union gasoline, cases, 2 [...]
Union benzine, iron bbls. [...] tank wagons [...]
G. M. gasoline, in bbls. [...]
G. M. gasoline, in cases [...]
Union G. M. gasoline, in bbls. [...] tank wagons [...]
Union G. M. gasoline, in cases [...]
Engine distillate, cases [...]
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls. [...]
Linseed oil, raw, in cases [...]
Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls. [...]
Linseed oil, boiled, in cases [...]
Turpentine, in iron bbls. [...]
Turpentine, in cases [...]

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND [...]

[BY DIRECT WIRE—[...]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 16.—San Francisco [...] and Bond sales:

Bonds: 1000 Los Angeles [...] at 97¼; 5000 Spring Valley [...] 91; 7000 Cal G. & E. at [...] 3000 Great Western Power [...] 4000 Pacific T. & T. 5s at [...] U.R.R. of S.F. 4s at [...] Stocks: 40 Giant Powder [...] Alaska Pack. Assn. at [...] California Power [...] Pauuhau S.P. Co. at 16¼.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND P[...]

[BY [...]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—[...] feed, 1.25@1.35; seed, 1.[...] Millstuffs — Middlings [...] bran, 27.50@28.00; shorts [...] Receipts—Flour, 2000 [...] ley, 65,114 centals; [...] potatoes, 3095 sacks; [...] hides, 450 in number; [...] lons.

Fruit—Lemons, fancy [...] ples, Newtown pippins [...] Potatoes—Oregon [...] 1.40; sweets, 1.25@1.[...] Vegetables—Tomatoes [...] Los Angeles, 40@50; [...] beans, 7@10; bell [...] Angeles lettuce, 75@1.00.

Drafts and [...]

[BY [...]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. [...] bars, 49½.

Callboard [...]

[BY [...]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. [...] December, 1.25 bid; [...] 1.36¼. Afternoon session [...] cember, 1.27 asked; May [...]

San Francisco Produce [...]

[BY A. P. [...]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—[...] seconds, 27½. [...] pullets, 41.

New York Dairy [...]

[BY A. P. [...]

NEW YORK, Dec. [...] and unchanged; [...] Cheese, irregular, [...] State whole milk [...] 16; average [...] specials, 15; [...] @14¾. Eggs [...] cases; State [...] by hennery [...] @55.

[In]dustrial Progress: Shipping and Grain; Copper Market.

Grain.

[NAV]AL RAID CAUSES DROP.

[...] DECLINES ON UNCER[TAIN]TY OF SHIPMENTS.

[...] Were Good Buyers at [...] Prices but the War [...] Overbalanced this Strength [...] Losses Were Small—Corn [...] also Slumped Off.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[CHICAGO,] Dec. 16.—Uncertainty as [to the] effect the German naval raid [might have] on the demand for export [...] to Great Britain led to some [selling] by nervous holders of [wheat. In] consequence the market, [though] steady at the close, was ⅜ [...] last night. Both corn and [oats were] ⅛ to ⅛@¼ down. The [outcome in] provisions was irregular, [varying from] a decline to a rise of 7½. [...] that representatives [of] exporters were ready buy[ers] during the decline, prices [for the] most part tended downward. [...] little show of strength at the [start, when] cables were chiefly re[sponsible] for the upturn with which [the] wheat began. The fact [...] that the foreign strength was [...] chiefly the result of the [...] government crop report [...] deal of a drawback. Corn [...] suffered under the bearish [influence] of wheat. Oats took the same [...] Selling pressure came [...] from scattered longs. Pack[ers were] conspicuous buyers of lard.

CASH GRAIN.

[...] No. 2 yellow, 64@64¼; No. 3 [...] 63@63¾.

[Chica]go Dairy Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[CHICAGO,] Dec. 16.—Butter un[settled.] Eggs unsettled, receipts 3733 [cases; at] mark, cases included, 23@[...]; ordinary firsts, 30@32; firsts, 35.

[Chicago] Live Stock Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

[CHICAGO,] Dec. 16.—Hogs: receipts [...]; 5 to 10 above yester[day]; bulk, 7.05@7.20; light, [...] 6.85@7.30; heavy, 6.80 [...] 6.80@6.90; pigs, 5.50@[...]; receipts 19,000; weak, [...] 5.35@10.40; western, 5.00 [...] and heifers, 3.00@7.90; [...] Sheep, receipts 15,[000]; [...] sheep, 5.50@6.65; year[lings ...]; lambs, 6.75@8.80.

[...] Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange,] 118 West Fourth street, Los [Angeles.]

[CHICAGO, Dec.] 16.—Following are the closing [...] quotations: [illegible]

[...] Stock Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York Stock Exchange,] Bradbury Bldg., Los [Angeles.]

[...] Following are closing quota[tions]: [illegible]

4,000	S. Kendall	.13	....	.12	.13
4,500	S. Pick Con.	.13	.11	.11	.12
13,500	Spearhead G.	.19	.18	.18	.19
....	Vernal	....	....	.06	.06
2,000	Yellow Tiger	.06	....	.06	.06
	Manhattan District—				
......	Dexter Union	....	....	....	.02
......	Gold Wedge	....	....	....	.04
......	Man. Amalg.	....	....	....	.01
......	Man. Big F.	....	....	....	.10
......	Man. Con.	....	....	.03	.04
......	Man. Dexter	....	....	....	.02
......	Man. W. C.	....	....	.06	.08
......	Min. Hill C.	....	....	....	.01
1,000	Morn. Glory	.01	....	....	.02
......	Mustang M.	....	....	....	.01
......	Mustang Ex.	....	....	....	.01
	Other Districts—				
500	Con. Eureka	.23	....	.23	....
......	Eagle's N. C.	....	....	....	.02
3,000	Fairview G. Boulder	.04	.03	.03	.05
400	Nevada Hills	.30	....	.30	.35
......	Pitts S. Peak	....	....	.15	.17
......	Round Mt.	....	....	.38	.42

Boston Stock Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Following were the closing bid and asked quotations:

	—Close— Bid.	AAsk.		—Close— Bid.	AAsk.
Adventure	1 3-16	1⅝	Do. pfd.	—	87
Ahmeek	290	—	Majestic	15	18
Alaska	24¼	24¾	Mayflower	5	5½
Allouez	33	37	Miami	18	18½
Algoma	75	100	M. of A.	1¼	1½
Amn. Pneu. com.	2⅝	3	Michigan	75	100
Do. pfd.	17	17½	McK. D.	54	58
Amn. Zinc	7⅝	7¾	Mohawk	45	—
Arcadian	7½	7⅞	Nev. C.	12¼	12⅝
Ariz. C.	3⅝	4	Nipissing	5⅝	6
B. S. Gas	10	11	Mexican	16	19
Baltic	1⅝	2¼	Oneco	80	95
B. & Ely	20	25	N. Butte	23¼	23⅝
Begole	1	1¼	Nev. D.	54	57
Belm't	4⅝	5¼	N. Lake	1¼	1⅝
Bohemia	1¼	1½	Ohio	10	11
B. & B.	2	3	Old Dom.	45	45¼
B. & L.	24	26	Old Col.	4	4½
B. & Sup.	36	36¼	Osceola	68¼	69
Cactus	—	4	Quincy	52	53
Calaveras	95	97	Ray Cons.	16¾	17
C. & A.	56¼	56½	Raven	10	15
C. & H.	375	380	Santa Fe	1¼	1⅝
Centenn'l	15	15½	Shannon	4	4½
Chief C.	75	85	Shattuck	20	20½
Chino	34	34¼	Sup. & B.	1⅝	1⅝
Cons. A.	40	50	Sup. C.	25	25¾
Cop. R.	56¼	56½	Swift P. Co.	103¾	104
Davis D.	70	80	S. Lake	5½	6
E. Butte	8⅝	8¾	Tamarack	27	28
1st Nat.	1⅝	1¾	Trinity	3	3¼
Franklin	5	5½	Tuolumne	25¼	26
Granby	81	82	Utah Cop.	49¾	—
Gr. Can.	35	36	Utah Cons.	10	10¼
Gold C.	1¾	1⅞	U. S. M. & S. com.	28¼	29
Hancock	14	15	Do. pfd.	45	45½
Helvetia	35	40	United Fr.	—	125
Houghton	2⅝	2⅞	U. S. Shoe Ma. com.	54¼	55
Ills. Creek com.	45	45⅝	Do. pfd.	28¾	—
Do. pfd.	85	87	Victoria	1½	2
Indiana	3⅛	4	Winona	2	2¼
Inspn.	16½	16¾	Wolverine	36	37
I. Royale	18½	18¾	Wyandt'e	75	100
Kerr L.	4⅞	5	Yukon	2¼	2⅝
Keweenah	2⅝	3	S.W. Miami	—	1 1-16
Lake Cop.	6⅛	6¼	Stewart	—	1⅝
La Salle	3⅜	3⅝	Verde	1⅞	1 15-16
Mas. Val.	1⅞	—	Tono. M.	1¼	—
Mass Cop.	4	4½	Ojibway	75	100
Mam. Gas com.	84	85	Pond Cr.	14	14¼

New York Oil Stocks.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Following were the closing bid and asked quotations:

	—Close— Bid.	AAsk.		—Close— Bid.	AAsk.
Anglo Am.	15½	16	Stand. Oil, Cal.	317	320
Atlantic	590	597	Stand. Oil, Ind.	475	480
B. Scrym.	260	280	Stand. Oil, Kans.	355	365
Buckeye	117	119	Stand. Oil, Ky.	250	255
Cheseb'h	660	690	Stand. Oil, Neb.	330	350
Colonial	105	110	Stand. Oil, N. Y.	204	207
Crescent	40	42	Stand. Oil, Ohio	430	440
Cumbl'd	50	55	Swan & F.	165	175
Eureka	235	242	Un. Tank	84	86
Galena	167	170	Vacuum	200	204
Do. pfd.	135	143	Washt'n	35	40
Ind. Pipe	108	112	Waters P.	16½	17½
Nat. Tr.	36	38	Stand. Oil, N. J.	404	406
N. Y. Tr.	225	232			
Nor. Pipe	90	94			
Ohio Oil	179	182			
Prairie	450	460			
Solar	260	270			
Sou. Pipe	204	208			
So. Pa. Oil	265	270			
S.W. Penna. Pipe	120	130			

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

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SALT LAKE, Dec. 16.—Following were the closing bid and asked quotations:

	—Close— Bid.	AAsk.		—Close— Bid.	AAsk.
B. Tun.	5¼	5⅜	Ohio Cop.	10	15
Blk. J'k	4	10	Pr. Con.	19	20¼
Colo.	10½	11	S.K. Coal	240	247½
D. Judge	460	500	Tintic C.	1	1½
Gr. Cent.	62	65	Uncle Sam	5	6
Iron B.	110	112½	Utah Con.	½	⅝
Little Bell	8	15	Vic. Con.	24½	30½
Low. M.	4	6	Yankee C.	2½	3
May Day	12½	13	S. K. Con.	175	180
Nev. Hills	25	40			

Financial.

MASCOT SOON TO DELIVER OIL.

MAKES CONTRACT FOR DISPOSAL OF OUTPUT.

Resumption of Dividends in February is Forecast, and Stock Strengthens—United to Pay Dividends Quarterly—Union's Earnings Increase.

A contract has been made by the Mascot Oil Company to dispose of its oil production. The company will begin delivering the output about the first of the year, it is expected. The price which will be obtained is 37½ cents a barrel, and will probably be increased later.

The work of reopening the wells and putting them on production is now in progress. The company's output amounted to about 30,000 to 35,000 barrels a month before the property was shut down. Operating expenses are slight. In anticipation of the resumption of dividends by the Mascot, the stock of the company has lately shown a marked degree of strength on the local exchange. A director of the company stated yesterday that it was expected that dividends will be resumed in February. He also stated that the amount would be larger than paid at the time disbursements were suspended. Dividends were then at the rate of 7.2 per cent. per annum. Rumor places the rate at as high as 12 per cent. per annum.

United Dividends.

The United Oil Company will adopt the policy of paying dividends quarterly. The next payment after the one just declared for January 20 will consequently be in April, and, it is expected, will be at a higher rate than the first disbursement of ½ cent a share.

The company will have a credit balance of over $26,000 in January. There remains outstanding some $15,000 indebtedness, which can be paid off gradually within the next ninety days. The company will only pay off a portion of this next month, unless certain oil which it has in storage is disposed of.

Union Earnings.

Net earnings of the Union Oil Company for the present year, despite the contraction in sales which has been apparent in the last quarter, will appear $100,000 to $250,000 larger than last year. The company will charge off more for depreciation and will invoice lower, but despite this will show a net of approximately $2,700,000. A good reserve is being built up to safeguard the company's financial position, which is now regarded as absolutely secure.

Stock of the Union has shown a better tone this week, on the strength of the favorable reports concerning the company's financial status.

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16.

Steamer A. M. Simpson, Capt. Bendegard, from Coos Bay.

Steamer Doris, Capt. Olsen, from Gray's Harbor.

British steamer Oberon, Capt. Cooper, from San Francisco.

Steamer Norwood, Capt. Knudsen, from Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Celilo, Capt. Rorvik, from Portland.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16.

Steamer Celilo, Capt. Rorvik, for San Diego.
Steamer President, Capt. Zeh, for San Diego.
Steamer Necanicum, Capt. Peterson, for Eureka.
Steamer Siskiyou, Capt. Hansen, for Bellingham.
Steamer Istamian, Capt. Ryer, for New York.
Steamer Oregonian, Capt. Swicker, for San Francisco.

U. S. torpedo boat destroyers Hull, Hopkins and Lawrence, Lieut. Jones, for San Diego.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

Steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports farther north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Steamer.	Steamship line.
Dec. 18	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 18	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & Portland
Dec. 19	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 19	Puget Sound, Queen	Pacific Coast
Dec. 19	San Francisco, Aroline	Independent
Dec. 20	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 20	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 21	Portland, Roanoke	North Pacific
Dec. 21	San Diego, Queen	Pacific Coast
Dec. 22	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 22	San Diego, Roanoke	North Pacific
Dec. 22	Puget Sound, Governor	Pacific Coast

TO DEPART.

Date.	To—Steamer.	Steamship line.
Dec. 18	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 19	Portland, Rose City	S. F. & Portland
Dec. 19	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 19	San Francisco, Aroline	Independent
Dec. 20	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 20	San Diego, Queen	Pacific Coast
Dec. 21	San Diego, Roanoke	North Pacific
Dec. 22	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
Dec. 22	Portland, Roanoke	North Pacific

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamer for Catalina Island leaves daily at 10 a.m., returning at 6 p.m. Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every half hour from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Canal street, Wilmington, every half hour.

IN PORT.

Schooner Sadie, west basin.
Schooner Lucy, west basin.
Schooner Louise, west basin.
French bark Admiral Courbet, outer harbor.
U.S.S. Denver, outer harbor.
U. S. torpedo boats Whipple, Paul Jones, Perry, Truxton, outer harbor.
Steamer Norwood, So. Cal. Lumber Co.
Steamer Doris, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer A. M. Simpson, S. P. slip.
British steamer Oberon, outer harbor.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Shasta, Bellingham, sailed Dec. 5.
Steamer Tallac, British Columbia ports, loading.
Steamer Raymond, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Solano, Willapa, loading.
Steamer Carmel, Gray's Harbor, sailed Dec. 7.
Steamer Celilo, Portland, sailed Dec. 12.
Steamer Coronado, Gray's Harbor, loading.
Steamer Shna-Yak, Bellingham, sailed Dec. 10.
Steamer Norwood, sailed Dec. 10.
Steamer Bee, Mukilteo, sailed Dec. 11.

TO AND FROM FOREIGN AND ATLANTIC PORTS.

British steamer Crown of Toledo, Glasgow, sailed Sept. 27.
Steamer Pleiades, New Orleans, sailed Dec. 2.
Danish steamer Rhodesia, Copenhagen, loading.
British steamer Crown of Seville, London, sailed Dec. 12.
Steamer Arizonan, New York, sailed Nov. 30.
Dutch steamer Maria, Antwerp, loading.
British steamer Hazel Dollar, Manila, via Shanghai, loading.
Danish motorship Falstria, Copenhagen, loading.
Swedish motorship Kronprinsessan Margareta, Stockholm, loading.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, New York, sailed Nov. 25.
Steamer Jean, New York, sailed Dec. 1.
Steamer Damara, New York, loading.
Swedish motorship Pacific, Copenhagen, loading.
Steamer Atlantic, Boston, loading.
Steamer Virginian, New York, loading.
Steamer Edgar H. Vance, Philadelphia, sailed Nov. 25.
Mexican steamer Mazatlan, Manzanillo, sailed Nov. 10.
Steamer Georgian, New York, sailed Dec. 1.
Steamer Panaman, San Francisco, for New York, sailed Dec. 4.
Swedish motorship Suecia, Stockholm, loading.
Danish motorship Pangan, Glasgow, loading.
Steamer Pennsylvanian, Puget Sound, for New York, sailed Dec. 11.
Steamer Montanan, New York, sailed Dec. 10.
Norwegian steamer Christian Bors, Shanghai, loading.
Steamer Hawaiian, New York, loading.
Steamer Lyra, Philadelphia, loading.
Steamer Santa Cecelia, New York, loading.
Steamer Santa Cruz, San Francisco, for New York, sailed Dec. 14.

TIDE TABLE.

Thursday,	Dec. 17....	2:23	8:50	4:08	10:41
		2.1	7.5	—1.6	4.2
Friday,	" 18....	3:10	9:37	4:54	11:28
		2.2	7.3	—1.3	4.2
Saturday,	" 19....	3:58	10:23	5:40	....
		2.3	6.9	—1.0	....
Sunday,	" 20....	12:16	4:50	11:08	6:24
		4.2	2.4	6.3	—0.5
Monday,	" 21....	1:05	5:52	11:55	7:08
		4.3	2.6	5.6	0.1
Tuesday,	" 22....	1:55	7:08	12:45	7:51
		4.4	2.7	4.8	0.6
Wednesday,	" 23....	2:46	8:44	1:50	8:35
		4.6	2.6	4.1	1.2

NOTE—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring on the following morning.

PORT ITEMS.

The first religious services held on board the U.S.S. Denver for nearly a year were enjoyed by the officers and men of the vessel last night, when a number of local church workers and John Makins, superintendent of the Sailors' Rest, appeared on board and rendered a programme.

The steamer President was delayed in departure this morning when a floating log caught in the vessel's propellor. After a delay of less than an hour, when several loose piles were torn loose from under the wharf, the vessel proceeded to San Diego with passengers and freight for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

About two and a half million feet of lumber arrived today for local wholesalers, the steamer A. M. Simpson having 780,000 feet loaded at Coos Bay, the steamer Doris 800,000 feet loaded at Gray's Harbor, the steamer Norwood 875,000 feet loaded at Gray's Harbor, and the steamer Celilo from Portland with a partial cargo.

Lumber carriers departing for the north to reload for this port included the steamer Necanicum for Eureka and the steamer Siskiyou for Bellingham. The steamer Celilo departed this afternoon for San Diego and will return to this port Saturday.

NORTHERN SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—Arrived: Steamers Alcatraz, Harvard, Multnomah, Aroline, Los Angeles.

Sailed: Steamer Harvard, Los Angeles.

TWO MILLIONS IN OIL DEAL.

LONG LEASE IN THE COALINGA DISTRICT ABOUT TO BE CONSUMMATED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—A tentative agreement was reached here today for the consummation of one of the largest oil deals to be put through since the entry of the Dutch-Schell and the British Union Oil interests into California.

If its terms are finally approved, the United Development Company and the Oil Exploration Company will become possessed of a long-term lease on 440 acres of oil land in the Coalinga district now owned by the Southern Pacific company by virtue of land grants from the United States government. The value of the land involved in the deal is estimated at more than $2,000,000. Both the United Development Company and the Oil Exploration Company, sister concerns, are backed by R. J. MacKenzie of Vancouver, who is associated with the MacKenzie-Mann interests, holders of vast railway, land and mining properties throughout the Canadian Northwest.

None of the principals would discuss the terms of the agreement to lease, but it is understood to be on a royalty basis.

Purchase Mining Claims.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 14.—The Kern Placer Mining Company is the name of a concern headed by M. P. Boag, mining engineer and chemist of San Francisco, and associates, also residents of the Bay City. It is to operate twelve claims in Last Chance Canyon near Randsburg, purchased from Charles Kuehn, a pioneer miner of Randsburg, now a rancher. The claims were purchased for $3000 cash.

Why Not?

[Judge:] A cow out in Indiana is reported to have eaten twenty-five hens. This sounds extraordinary, but, after all, it is simple reciprocity. The world has been consuming milk-fed chickens for years, and we see no reason why there shouldn't be a little chicken-fed milk now and then.

Still More Pestiferous.

AFTER "JITNEY," HITS WOMAN.

She is Seriously Injured by Nickel-chaser.

Many Others Pay Big Toll to Bus Drivers.

Greedy Operators Don't Care What Happens.

D. M. Hill, a farmer residing at No. 736 East Twenty-seventh street, formerly a proponent of "jitney" busses, decided yesterday that not only will his patronage cease, but he will appear before the Police Commission and City Council and protest against the unbridled license enjoyed by the nickel-chasers. Mr. Hill signed a complaint yesterday charging D. Wolownic, a "jitney" driver of No. 1025 East Fourteenth street, with reckless driving. The complaint followed within a few hours a peculiar accident in which his sister, Mrs. R. Booth, was seriously injured by Wolownic's "jitney" wagon.

Mrs. Booth was crossing the street at the intersection of Central avenue and East Adams street when Wolownic "hove to" in a nickel-chasing machine. Wolownic said afterward that he had his eyes on a prospective passenger a half block away. At any rate, say the police, he didn't have it on the pavement immediately in front of him, for he swung his machine from the center of the car tracks and headed straight for Mrs. Booth. The "jitney" hit her a glancing blow, picked her up on the right running board, swung to the left, crossed forty feet of street and smashed into an autoload of lumber.

INJURIES SERIOUS.

One side of the machine is wrecked and had Mrs. Booth been on the opposite running board, her life, says her brother, would have been forfeit. She suffered serious injuries in the back and received a piercing blow in the thigh which went clear to the bone. She was taken to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hill of No. 1132 East Twenty-seventh street.

"Once," said Mr. Hill, "I was a good patron of these 'jitney' busses, and I even thought they were more sinned against than sinning. I have changed my mind. It is different when a member of your family is seriously injured through general recklessness. It is a shame that the persons who handle most of these busses are allowed lose on the streets. They are a menace to everybody, including their passengers and themselves."

FIVE OUT OF SIX.

In addition to twenty "jitney" bus drivers who appeared in the Police Court for minor violations of the traffic ordinances five out of six other accidents were "jitney" bus crashes which resulted in damage to either automobile or person. J. W. Hough, a tourist in the city, staying at the Argonaut Hotel, is the victim of a "jitney" bus that ran over his foot while he was waiting at a San Pedro street garage for another nickel-chaser to take on gasoline. Mr. Hough comes from Waterloo, Iowa, where there are no "jitney" busses. He complained to the police, giving the number of the machine that passed over his foot as No. 122739. It is listed to Mrs. J. Lewis of No. 735 Crocker street.

Charles M. Wyatt, a "jitney" bus driver of No. 3044 East Seventh street, disputed the right of way at Ninth street and Broadway with R. Goldster, another driver of No. 751 South Los Angeles street. Both machines were smashed.

Clarence W. Smith, driver of a nickel-chaser, was going south on Main street near Sixteenth street, when he locked wheels with an automobile driven by R. L. Lauterback of No. 1614 Temple street. The two machines executed several spiral curves on the wet pavement and were partly wrecked.

E. A. Gardner of No. 2823 Harvard boulevard was driving a machine on Vermont avenue near Twenty-third street when the automobile hit Mrs. M. J. Thorburn of No. 1801 Reid street. Mrs. Thorburn was being wheeled in an invalid chair across the street. She suffered injuries in the back.

In front of the Burbank Theater on Main street, in the afternoon, a Ford "jitney"—license No. 121650—skidded and crashed into a large automobile at the curb. The smaller machine was considerably damaged and two of its passengers injured, one being severely cut about the face and the other bruised. The driver made no effort to help them and both limped away through the crowd. The driver's first act was to tear off the sign showing his bus to be a passenger carrier. He had difficulty in getting his machine oue of the way of traffic.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CROPS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Dec. 16.—The shipment of oranges for the Christmas pool will exceed the estimates of the packers made two weeks ago by 100 cars. Reports made this morning stated that already 200 cars of oranges have been shipped from this district with three days to run before the Christmas pool closes. The early estimates were 150 cars for the pool.

The cause of the heavy shipments is that the fruit has ripened much better in the two weeks than was expected and also that the prices in the East have been so good. The distributors say that judging from present prices the fruit will bring $1.90 f.o.b. Redlands, which means about $1.75 per box for the grower.

TULARE COUNTY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 16.—According to reports which are available from the leading packing-houses, more than 85 per cent. of the oranges produced in Tulare county this season are packing out in the extra fancy grade. Percentage of culls this year is negligible and it is now the statement that the crop will be the finest and the most profitable ever produced in this district. To date approximately 3000 have gone East. For practically all this fruit the growers have averaged $1.50 net, the best prices in the history of this county.

The citrus crop of Tulare county, more than half marketed, will net the growers of Central California more than $3,000,000, the greatest net profit from a citrus crop in the history of this section. Early estimates of 4500 cars of fruit have been found too small and it is generally figured by the packers now that when the season is closed a total of 5000 cars will have been shipped.

Due to the strict supervision of picking on the part of the Tulare County Protective League and the consequent high grade of fruit marketed, to this date no fruit has sold lower than $1.50 per box net and some shipments have gone as high as $2. Considering the present firm tone of the New York and other eastern markets it is believed safe to estimate the net returns on the output at $1.50, average. At this figure the growers will realize approximately $6,000,000 gross, or a little better than $3,000,000 from the 1914-15 production.

ORANGE COUNTY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ORANGE, Dec. 16.—The winter vegetable season is proving to be a record-breaker for the Orange County Vegetable Association, which has its packing-house at Villa Park. The association is sending out daily two carloads of product, including bell peppers, chile peppers, tomatoes, cucumbers, eggplant, green beans, yellow beans, green limas and summer squash. The price received for a ton of tomatoes is $120, a record price here. About two tons of tomatoes are being shipped daily, the usual prices ranging from $60 to $100 a ton. Today a carload of vegetables was shipped to Texas.

NEW ASSOCIATION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXNARD, Dec. 16.—The citrus fruit growers of the Piru district have formed the Piru Citrus Association, articles of incorporation for which will soon be filed. It is the newest of the county's co-operative associations of growers. David Felsenthal was elected president, C. S. Johnson, secretary and manager, F. S. Chapman, E. F. Del Valle, A. N. Davidson and John Alcock directors of the association. A building has been leased for a packing-house, and the recent activities of the organization will be confined to the handling of the orange crop.

Gibraltar's Mischievous Monkeys.

[St. Joseph News Press:] There is a carefully protected small tribe of monkeys that inhabit the Rock of Gibraltar. They are tame and their "chief" is known as the major. There is a saying among the British garrison that "better kill the Governor than one of these monkeys." Many years ago they came across from Africa in some mysterious manner and settled upon the rock. They are protected by martial law and any addition to their ranks by birth is carefully chronicled in the garrison archives and published in the local paper. According to the weather conditions the apes change their dwelling places from the highest peak of the famous rock to more sheltered crevices. They have a certain well developed sense of humor, for they throw stones at the soldiers. Again for weeks at a time they are not seen about excepting early in the morning. Some years ago, owing to the diminishing numbers of these animals, some apes were procured from the Barbary coast of Africa and turned loose upon the rock, but the old resident monkeys killed them off. They never attack human beings.

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DRY SUNDAYS AT SOCIAL CLUBS:

POLICE BOARD WOULD TIGHTLY NAIL DOWN LID.

Proposes that Council Shall Pass Ordinance Placing Rigid Restrictions on Clubs Holding Liquor Permits—"Saloons Without Saloon Restrictions," Declares Whiffen.

"Not until within the past few days have I been aware of what the social clubs of Los Angeles holding liquor permits really are. Some of them are practically saloons without saloon restrictions, and they come into competition with the saloons that pay the city large revenues and that have to conform to rigid rules."

This was the expression of President Whiffen of the City Council yesterday after a session of the Police Commission, where he presided, as acting Mayor, illness having detained Mayor Rose at his home.

At this meeting President Whiffen proposed that the commission request the Council to investigate the social clubs holding liquor permits with a view of placing strict regulations on them. To this the commission gave approval.

It was suggested that the legislation on this subject include the requirements of a close bar on Sundays, definite closing hours for the bar on other days of the week, the limiting of the number of "visitors" or "guests" which a member may take to the bar, and other requirements that will tend to remove the social club with a liquor permit becoming a direct competitor of the saloon.

The subject was brought up in the consideration of the charges against the Italian Social Club on Wilde street. The commission decided that this club must change its manager; that it must provide a special policeman for thirty days, and that if the institution is not "cleaned up" by that time it will have its permit revoked.

In the same connection, Frank M. Gowder, who has a wholesale liquor permit for No. 623 Central avenue, had his permit suspended until January 1, and was notified that he must dispose of his business.

President Whiffen said yesterday that he will today send to the Council the resolution asking for a general investigation of the social clubs holding liquor permits, and the formulation of restrictive legislation.

The question arises as to how this will affect the larger and well-established clubs, like the Jonathan, California and Union League organizations. Mr. Whiffen stated that he believes it would be proper to make exceptions of clubs that serve meals and have a certain number of bed chambers, showing that they are conducted as bona fide clubs, in the generally-accepted sense of this term.

CONSOLIDATION.

ADVICE OF WORKS BOARD.

Consolidation in the interest of municipal efficiency is the slogan of the Board of Public Works. It has been working on several features on this line for some months past, and yesterday made its first public move thereon.

It sent to the City Council a letter in which it recommends immediate consolidation of the offices of elevator and boiler inspector and City Electrician with the building department, and the consolidation of the oil inspector's department with that of the City Engineer.

"These consolidations, in the judgment of this board," says the communication, "will simplify the organization and bring about such economy as is possible by consolidation.

"This board has been considering this reorganization for several months and it seems that now is the opportune time for this change, before the offices are located in the Hosfield building."

President Handley said yesterday that other recommendations will soon be forthcoming on the same line of action.

Street Railway Franchise.

The City Council has set next Monday at 9 o'clock as the time for opening bids for the proposed street railway franchise for a double-track line beginning at the intersection of Brooklyn and Evergreen avenues, running thence northerly on Evergreen avenue to Wabash avenue, thence southeasterly on Wabash avenue and a private right of way to the city's easterly boundary.

A bond in the sum of $2500 is required for the faithful performance of the terms of the franchise. The franchise has been advertised for sale on the application of parties representing the Malabar District Improvement Association.

REQUEST DENIED.

NO MONUMENT IN PARK.

Some months ago Maj.-Gen. W. C. Harrison, commander of the Pacific Division, United Confederate Veterans, applied to the Park Commission for permission to erect in Central Park a monument to deceased Confederate veterans. The application was taken under advisement. Then followed protests to the commission against granting of any such permit by posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, Women's Relief Corps, Sons of Veterans, etc., the last being protests from the Kenesaw Post, G.A.R., and the Kenesaw Woman's Relief Corps, presented at the last meeting. The commission decided to deny the request of Maj.-Gen. Harrison.

RELIEF CAMP.

WILL BE OPENED AT ONCE.

The Griffith Park relief camp for the unemployed will be opened within forty-eight hours. The Municipal Charities Commission will go out to the park this morning to select the camp site, and immediately thereafter will order the movement of the equipment used last year to the site selected and its being put into shape for immediate use.

This was made possible by the action of the City Council yesterday morning. Councilman Bryant made a motion that the Council appropriate $2600 for charity. Councilman Wheeler amended the motion, making the appropriation $500, and for the purpose of sustaining the relief camp in Griffith Park. This amended motion carried unanimously. Immediately thereafter Dr. Milbank Johnson, who was present, took steps for the opening of the camp at the earliest possible time.

The camp will have accommodations for 300 men. It will be conducted on the plans utilized last year. Men who go into the camp will be required to give four hours' work per day for three square meals and a bed. The work to be undertaken will be the clearing up of the picnic grounds and the finishing off of the scenic drive recently excavated by the steam shovel.

There are 3000 more applications at the Municipal Employment Bureau than there have been jobs to fill. Just how many of these applicants are in such straits that they will want to take advantage of the relief camp is unknown.

COUNCIL WILL APPROVE.

TRANSFER OF POWER PROJECT.

The City Council will give its approval to the transfer of the aqueduct power project from the Board of Public Works to the Public Service Commission. Last week questions as to legal points were raised, and the Council decided to withhold its approval until its Finance Committee and the City Attorney had made an investigation and report.

Yesterday a conference on the subject was held in the Mayor's office between the Finance Committe, City Auditor, Chief Electrical Engineer Scattergood, Special Counsel Mathews and Assistant City Attorney Robertson. The main point of discussion was as to whether it would be proper to place to the credit of the 1914 power bond fund moneys derived from the 1910 power-bond fund. The plan decided upon is to keep separate accounts for moneys derived from each fund. The legal points having been cleared up, the committee decided to recommend the approval by the Council.

Phase of Welty Case.

"Public Defender" Ireland yesterday sent to the Fire Commission a letter in which he protests against any private hearing of the case wherein Edward W. Welty, a discharged fireman, has appealed to the commission for reinstatement. The commission recently referred the subject to the committee of the whole, and told Ireland at that time that when the committee presented its report he could take such action as he saw fit. At a previous meeting Mr. Ireland was told by the Mayor that Welty's case would not be helped any by Ireland's appearing in it. Mr. Ireland demands a full, fair and open trial for Welty, claiming that the man has been wronged by his superior officers.

CITY HALL IN BRIEF.

LESSER MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

The Board of Public Works yesterday formally ratified the transfer of the garbage contract from C. D. Crouch to the Pacific Reduction Company. Members of the board declared their confidence in the ability of the company to put into operation and successfully conduct the new reduction plant.

The Public Utilities Commission yesterday sent to the City Council a letter in which it reiterates its recommendation made some time ago that in the franchise for the proposed incline road in Griffith Park provision be made that single fares shall not exceed 10 cents for the first five years' period, and that thereafter the price per fare shall be subject to regulation by the Park Commission at the beginning of each five-year period.

The Public Utilities Commission yesterday set next Friday at 2 o'clock as the time for a public hearing on the proposed spur tracks across Central avenue, from Ceres avenue, so as to give direct access to the building to be erected by the Wells-Fargo Express Company.

The Park Commission has been notified by the Department of the Interior that a grizzly bear will be furnished from the Yellowstone National Park for the Griffith Park zoo without other charges than the cost of capture and transportation, but that the capture probably cannot be effected at this season of the year.

The Park Commission at its last meeting voted to continue the policy of excluding motion picture companies from operating in Echo Park because of the damage done to flowers and shrubbery by the crowds that congregate on such occasions.

The Park Commission has ordered that work proceed on the improvement of the Thirty-ninth-street entrance to Exposition Park. The estimate for the work is $7507.92, which is $1807.92 in excess of the budget appropriation. In order to complete the work the commission proposes to postpone the improvement of the Leighton-avenue entrance until funds are provided.

At the Courthouse.

BLANKS LEAD THESE NAMES.

AND THEY ARE NOT POLITE ONES EITHER.

Evidence Adduced in Boland-Tufts Case Shows What Young Tufts Thinks of His Wife's Former Husband and What He Thinks of Himself—Also Her Opinions.

The amended answer and third amended cross-complaint of Mrs. Jenny H. S. Roe Tufts to the divorce complaint of Gorham Tufts, Jr., was an exhibit of the Boland-Tufts suit for attorney's fees before a jury in Judge McCormick's court yesterday. How the wealthy Texas widow who was wooed and won by the Indian missionary, despite the opposition of her daughters, and how her love was met with unequivocal language, is set out in the document.

Such terms as "fool," "double blank fool," "blank hypocrite," "blank liar," Mrs. Tufts alleges were applied to her by Mr. Tufts. She alleges he called her the "widow of a senile old man." He said to her:

"You ought to get down on your knees and thank heaven that that doddering old husband is dead and that you have married such a grand, splendid, pure, noble and honest a man as I am, because he was none of those things, but was nothing but an old rascal, and I am every inch a man. Your old husband was not, in spite of his castle, ranches, lumber yards, stocks and bonds, and you should be proud that you have married a real man who knows how to spend his filthy lucre."

Mrs. Tufts admits Mr. Tufts called her these names, but she said she forgives him, and she is holding steadily by his side. Francis H. Boland, the attorney she took in her employ, played an active part, she declares, in suggesting many things she wrote about.

"It was the result of weeks of consultation with Mr. Boland," she testified, "and my belief that Mr. Tufts was a guilty man, and the only justice would be to send him to the penitentiary."

In a letter to her "dear ones," under date of May 16, 1912, she wrote:

"Everything seems satisfactory and hopeful for the proper outcome and convicting of Mr. Tufts, which will mean, of course, sending him to the penitentiary for a term. I am willing to leave no stone unturned that will bring about justice. Not that I have any resentment, revenge or hatred toward Mr. Tufts."

Further on she says:

"I always believed it was due to the hypnotic influence of Charles Parnell, Arthur W. Dowe and others who were trying to secure money from him for their own purposes."

The cross-examination turned yesterday afternoon on the checks G. Ray Horton is alleged to have received for prosecuting Mr. Tufts while Mr. Horton was in the District Attorney's office. Mrs. Tufts reiterated the charges. She said that Mr. Horton was not employed by her as her personal attorney until January, 1913. She gave him a note for $300. Mrs. Tufts's cross-examination will conclude today.

RAIN OR SHINE.

INSPECTION IS MADE.

Judge Finlayson, the attorneys, experts and court reporter, constituting Department Three, did not go to the Malibu ranch to inspect the water supply because it was a fine day, but because the date had been picked some time ago. The inspection was necessary in the trial of the suit of Mrs. May K. Rindge against the Craigs Land Company to restrain the defendants from diverting water used by her in irrigating the big ranch.

The Craigs Land Company has built a $20,000 dam on the Craigs Country Club grounds for a swimming and fishing pool. Mrs. Rindge claims the Craigs Country Club has diverted the water and she only receives a portion of the supply, when she is entitled to it all.

The club contends that the dam stores the storm waters which work down the canyon in the summer time and that Mrs. Rindge really receives a greater supply than she usually would.

READY FOR ANOTHER.

KATHLYN WILLIAMS FREE.

Kathlyn Allen, known in the movie world as Kathlyn Williams, appeared in the divorce court yesterday and secured a decree from Frank R. Allen, formerly of the Burbank Stock Company. She had known him for years, so that it was not a passing fancy which induced the clever actress to change her name a second time.

She testified that her salary with the Selig company is $150 a week. In her complaint she alleged that from property and his actor's stipend, Mr. Allen received $150 a month. She said he wanted her to give him her salary, and she quite deliberately put her dainty foot down on the proposition.

"One day he packed up and left," she said. "It was farewell and not au revoir this time. Since then I have not seen him."

The charge was failure to provide, and the decree was granted. The marriage was March 4, 1913. He deserted her June 5, 1913. She has a boy, aged 9, by a former marriage.

FAUX PAS.

BAILIFF SLIPS A COG.

Bailiff Berdie committed a faux pas in Judge Monroe's court yesterday. The case on trial involved the support of the child of a colored couple.

"You can get work," said the court to the young mother. "A woman can get housework to do where a man fails. It will only cost you 50 cents."

"They charge $2.50, Your Honor," she replied.

"But you pay that after you receive your salary," said the court.

"No, you don't, Your Honor," suddenly exclaimed Bailiff Berdie. "They make you pay that in advance."

"Mr. Clerk, swear Mr. Berdie," ordered the court, whose astonishment at his bailiff's outburst did not overcome his sense of humor. "If he is going to be a witness, he will have to be put on oath."

Mr. Berdie subsided, after pinching himself to see if he was thoroughly awake.

"Gosh, I forgot myself," he explained later to the court.

GOOD-BY KISS.

OVER LITTLE THINGS.

The marriage of Homer W. Allen and Maud Lillian Gertrude Allen did not conduce to happiness. Mr. Allen appeared before Judge Wellborn in a divorce action yesterday, but the evidence did not seem to the court to warrant granting a decree. It savored of collusion, he opined, and decided to think over the matter for a time.

Mr. Allen said he lived with his wife just seventy-nine days. One morning she kissed him good-by as he sallied out to his work at the post-office. The good-by kiss appeared just a trifle more effusive than usual, but Mr. Allen did not suspect that it was the last he was to receive from his bride. Upon his return home in the evening, his bride had flown and she did not come back. Once he met her and asked her to return, but she did not enthuse over the proposition.

An incident he related shows how a trifle will upset the equanimity of a bride. They had music at the house, and Mr. Allen left the room and went into an adjoining apartment. This offended Mrs. Allen. Then there was the incident of the mother-in-law. On the night of the marriage, Mr. Allen said she made a remark which nearly separated him from his wife then and there.

AUTO FREEZES.

BOYS TO WHITTIER.

George McPherson, aged 14, took Henry March, 15, to the garage of Mrs. Ada Stocker, run out her automobile and the next heard of the machine was near Saugus, where the boys abandoned it. The motor froze, and the lads got a ride back to the city in a passing auto. McPherson gave himself up, but Marsh was picked up on the street.

This escapade occurred after the boys had escaped from Juvenile Hall, taking with them, the probation officers say, two suits of clothes belonging to a guard. The police were on the lookout for them. Marsh was recently in the Juvenile Court, his mother complaining that a severe whipping administered by a teacher in the special school at Boyle Heights had injured his back. An investigation showed that he had been whipped on another portion of his anatomy.

Judge Taft committed Marsh and McPherson to Whittier until their majority. They stated they were on their way to San Francisco when the motor froze.

COURT PARAGRAPHS.

PROCEEDINGS IN BRIEF.

GETS JUDGMENT. Judge Dehy of Inyo county, who tried the suit of Thomas D. Smith against the Moore Motor Truck Company and the Pacific Metal Products Company to recover installments paid on a truck, gave judgment yesterday for Mr. Smith as prayed for in full for $1700, with costs and interest. The action, brought by Attorney Kase, covered the sale of a Moore truck on installments, the defendants taking a small truck as first payment of $1400 and receiving $300 cash.

INCORPORATIONS. The Commercial Club of Los Angeles, incorporators, Morris Stutz, Jack Shapiro and Sam Stutz, no capital stock; H. M. Fletcher Company, Inc., incorporators, J. M. Nichols, L. F. Morrow and E. A. Goetz, capital stock $50,000, subscribed $30; Victoria Manufacturing Company, incorporators, E. C. Reigant, M. E. Reigant and J. H. Eaton, capital stock $25,000, subscribed $3; Furman Manufacturing Company, incorporators, O. E. Furman, J. R. Marshall and Fred de Vilbiss, capital stock $20,000, subscribed $3; Los Alamitos Store, incorporators, Reba Plane, Maurice Salsman and C. Elliot Craig, capital stock $25,000, subscribed $3.

SHUTTING THEM DOWN.

In the interest of the rapid dispatch of the public business, Judge Bledsoe, of the United States District Court, informed attorneys yesterday that hereafter he will allow but one hour for the argument of a case, except in instances where the questions involved demand more time. In such instances he will devote a day to a single case if necessary. But he finds that much valuable time is wasted in matters that should be covered in an hour or less.

MILLION CLUB ENTERTAINS.

Reception Tendered Newly-elected Officers—Christmas Work of Organization Discussed.

Members of the Million Club gave a reception at the Hayward yesterday in compliment to the newly-elected officers of the organization. Mrs. B. A. Davis was chairman of the Reception Committee. Short addresses were made by the following officers of the club:

Mrs. Clara Shortridge Foltz, president; Mrs. W. C. Tyler, first vice-president; Mrs. Davis, second vice-president; Mrs. James Westphaling, third vice-president, and Mrs. M. F. Knowlton, treasurer. Mrs. Tyler spoke on the club's Christmas work and of the general sale of Mrs. Davis's allegorical book, "Why Live?" next Saturday, the proceeds of which are to be given to the club. Mrs. Knowlton discussed the forthcoming membership campaign.

Several interesting musical numbers were given by Miss Eunice Landrum, piano, and Mme. Nordi, vocal. Mrs. Davis gave a reading.

HE WILL LIVE HERE.

Lieutenant-Governor-elect Plans to Make Los Angeles His Future Home—Banquet Tomorrow.

John M. Eshleman, Lieutenant-Governor-elect, will be the guest of honor tomorrow evening at the Alexandria at a banquet to be given by political and personal friends in the city. The banquet will be a double-edged affair in that it will signalize the election of Mr. Eshleman and at the same time give him welcome to the city, for he has announced that he will live here in future. Mr. Eshleman will return today from Imperial Valley. He has been hunted and haunted by real estate men who want to sell him a home here, and one of them will be lucky, for he has declared his intention to buy and intimates strongly that he has the wherewithal.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for Y. Anan, E. D. Brown, Walter M. Brown, W. E. Burger, Thomas Carey, Mrs. Eleanor Crocker, Mrs. Freise, Erny Mialliard, Mrs. Lola Peterman, Mrs. A. Y. Rooney, W. A. Sitterly and J. A. Small; at the Postal: Miss Dorothy Hill, Tom Steward, J. C. Warren, John Guerra, Lemunyon and Bidelman, Fred Fostering, A. B. Ferguson, Mrs. J. M. Wainwright, Joseph Bellis, E. L. Bateman, Mrs. Louis A. McKnight, Charles Y. Youdles.

The Great War

will not affect the service of the WASHINGTON, D. C.-KINSEY ROUTE. "Sunset Limited" will be operated as usual on four-night schedule to Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and points East. Steel cars, electric lighted, dining cars, and everything that goes to make up a first-class train. No extra fare. Through service. Tickets to all points and abroad. T. F. Fitzgerald, agent, 600 South Spring street. Broadway 3301, or 71021.

DORMAN HEADS EXCHANGE.

Other Officers of Produce Men Will be Announced at the "Jinks" Next Saturday Evening.

The annual election of the Produce Exchange of Los Angeles yesterday morning resulted in the selection of D. M. Dorman as president for the ensuing year. Other officers will be named by the board of directors which was chosen and which consists of J. B. Jacobs, A. M. Klein, John Huber, Charles F. Morgan, H. W. Stanley, Chester W. Thompson.

At the annual banquet which the exchange will hold at the Alexandria Saturday evening the other officers will be announced. Outside of the serious business of the occasion, there will be a number of special amusement features, the programme being largely in the nature of a "jinks." President-elect Dorman will preside. The committee in charge comprises Secretary O. C. Pickrell, H. B. Franklin, Chester W. Thompson, H. W. Stanley and C. T. Wells.

1915 MIDWINTER NUMBER OF LOS ANGELES TIMES.

Bigger—Better and More Beautiful Than Ever Before.

The forthcoming Panama-Pacific Exposition Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times has engaged the constant attention of a large force of brilliant writers and artists for more than half a year.

This elaborate, comprehensive special edition, which will be issued January 1st, will be invaluable not only to every resident of this commonwealth, but to persons beyond the Coast and beyond the seas who are interested in Southern California.

The San Francisco and San Diego Expositions, and the Pacific Southwest's marvelous resources, wonderful development, splendid opportunities, scenic grandeur and climatic charm all will be fully, exhaustively and accurately portrayed.

The 1915 Midwinter Number of The Times will be profusely illustrated, have illuminated covers, and consist of six magazine parts, comprising 176 pages. It will deal conservatively and convincingly with the stupendous development of the Southland and graphically describe the mighty forces that have made California and especially Southern California, the "Paradise of America."

California cannot be advertised in a better and more effective way than by sending to out-of-town friends this complete dictionary of useful, timely and authentic information about the "Land of Opportunity."

The price is 10 cents per copy, wrapped for mailing; postpaid, 15 cents.—(Advertisement.

Hear the latest December double disc records in our Grafonola Parlors.

No one thing gives so much pleasure to so many people for so long a time, at so little cost as a

Columbia Grafonola

—"the one incomparable musical instrument."

The Columbia Grafonola "De Luxe," price $200. There are fourteen other Columbia models—one at a higher price, two at the same price, eleven at a lower price—from $17.50 to $500. Sold as low as a dollar a week.

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Where Bargains Reign
807-9-11 SOUTH MAIN STREET

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—And at each booth popular prices prevail; prices which will meet the approval of every purse.

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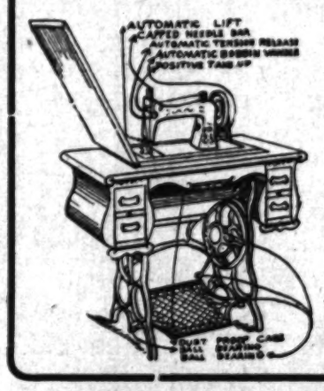
Gift Boxes—Co...
—To send your ... and what's more ... more appreciated ... ed with ... suggestions:
—Fancy Oranges, ...
—Box Oysters, ...
—Stuffed Dates, ...
—At these prices ... prepaid.
(Fourth and ... Floor)

10c Brings This Machine to Your Hom...

—Think of it! This machine delivered to your home for 10c and the balance to be paid in progressive ... of 10c additional each week. The chart will explain the payment details ... initial offering is on—



Our Angelus Colonial Model at $24.50

—An innovation in easy payment selling of sewing machines — another ... Great White Store's helpful co-operation with its patrons.

1st week 10c	2d week 20c	3d week 30c	4th week 40c	5th week 50c	6th week 60c	7th week 70c	
9th week 90c	10th week $1.00	11th week $1.10	12th week $1.20	13th week $1.30	14th week $1.40	15th week $1.50	
17th week $1.70	18th week $1.80	19th week $1.90	20th week $2.00	21st week $2.10	22d week $1.40	Payments completed in twenty-two weeks	

—The Angelus Colonial, in beautiful golden oak cabinet, automatic drop head ... tension release and a full set of attachments. It's the gift ideal for mother, ... home. Ask our demonstrator to explain the Angelus Colonial to you in detail.
(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Today)

Hello Boys!
HERE'S a BUNCH of FUN! MAKE LOTS OF TOYS

If ever we had anything in stock that means hours of fun for the boys it is the wonderful new toy, the Mysto Erector, which has had such wonderful sale in all the big cities of the country during last season. We are satisfied that this is one of the most attractive playthings that a boy could have. It not only gives him lots of enjoyment, but it teaches him to build all sorts of construction models. For instance you can build with

The Mysto ERECTOR

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such things as battle ships, torpedo boats, row boats, derricks, cranes, the Ferris wheel and three models of an automobile, machine shops, aeroplanes, bascule bridges, trolley cars, besides 300 other models which are all shown in the book that tells the boy how to build each model.

MAKES A DANDY PRESENT!

This toy is all steel, handsomely finished, has two to three times as many parts as any other building toy, and lasts twice as many months. We have built-up models for exhibition. It is worth your while to drop in and see these remarkable models and buy one. We have them at all prices.

Erector Sets, range in price from 50c to $10.00.
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Hamburger's—Headquarters for Mechanical Toys

—Headquarters for both American and European mechanical toys—the largest collection to be found anywhere on the Pacific Coast. Every mechanical contrivance imaginable—toys that the ingenious boy will find hours and hours of pleasure playing with. A few suggestions from our greatly varied assortments—

—Mechanical Boats, at prices ranging from 50c to $30.
—Mechanical Trains, at prices ranging from $1.00 to $15.
—Mechanical Automobiles, at prices ranging from 25c to $10.
—Mechanical Fire Engines moderately priced at $1.25.
—Mechanical Hook and Ladder Toys at $1.25.
—Also a wide assortment of mechanical toys at 25c and 50c.
(Hamburger's—Fourth Floor)

She who is particular about her—

Short Kid Gloves $1...

—will thoroughly appreciate these

—They're high class, good looking and dependable. Several styles, too—all very, very low priced at $1.29 a pair.
—One pearl clasp, with pique seams, new wide embroidery; black and white. Also mocha gloves in black.
—Two-clasp Tanne cape gloves in tan only and real French kid gloves in tan and mode shades. $1.29.

Emb'd Garment Patterns Special 95c, $2.95

—Remainders of imported lines bought to sell for ... to $10.00 and more, repriced for holiday selling.
—Demi-made embroidery patterns—corset ... dresses, women's blouses, etc.—probably 100 pieces, ... quisitely embroidered in the very finest hand-work by ... workers of the Old World. In holiday boxes if ...
(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Today)

A gift for maid or matron, these

"Poinsetta" 'Kerch...

3 in box fo...

—Economical and yet with a quality on account of the ...
—Of pure linen, beautifully ... finished with ¼-inch hem, ... which school girls and ... especially appreciate—3 in a ... 50c.

12,000 Hand Emb'd Handkerchiefs

—Sheer linen 'kerchiefs which will reflect the ... giver.
—A thousand dozen; every style and ... fine Irish hand embroidery. Made with a ... delight to those who find them among their ...
(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Today)